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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held for the purpose of organization, at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, January 1, 1912, at 12:30 o'clock p. m.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Anderson, Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Rath.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor, Mayor Cooke, was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., January 1, 1912.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—You will please call a meeting of the Council for Monday, January 1, 1912, at 12:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such business as may come before it.

Respectfully,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

The Clerk stated that the first business in order would be the election of a permanent Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

Councilmen Duffy, Pflugh, Luehs, LaPointe, Belloff, Rath, Larkin, McFeely and Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That Frederick J. Anderson be and he is hereby elected permanent Chairman of this Council for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Rath. Nays—None.

Declining to Vote—Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The Clerk declared Councilman Anderson permanent Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year, and requested Councilmen Duffy and Delaney to conduct him to his seat.

The Chairman having been conducted to his seat, returned thanks for the honors conferred.

Councilmen Rath, Belloff, Luehs, LaPointe, Delaney, Pflugh, McFeely, Duffy, and Chairman Anderson presented the following:

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of Hoboken, has learned with regret of the death of Mrs. Annie Larkin, mother of our esteemed associate and fellow Councilman James G. Larkin.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to said Councilman James G. Larkin our sincere sympathy in this sad hour of bereavement; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy hereof, duly certified by the City Clerk, and duly engrossed, be presented to said James G. Larkin.

Councilman Duffy moved that the above preamble and resolution be adopted by a rising vote.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy moved that a committee of two be appointed to wait on His Honor the Mayor and ascertain if he had any communication to present to the Council.

Chairman Anderson appointed as such committee, Councilman Rath and Luehs.

The committee returning presented the following message from His Honor Mayor Cooke:

Mayor's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1912.

To the Common Council of the City of Hobo-

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Gentlemen—

In accordance with an established custom, I herewith address to your Honorable Board my initial message, as Mayor of our city. We find confronting us many problems that will require patient, painstaking and impartial consideration. Surely we must realize and appreciate that the people elected us to accomplish various improvements and to effect the utmost progress possible.

One important step that we must not only consider but should bring to fruition, is the preparation and enactment of a new charter or form of government for our city. To give this matter the widespread attention it deserves, to obtain the views on this subject of the foremost thinkers of our city, and to enlist the services of impartial and non-partisan citizens, I shall take the liberty of soon calling together a committee, which we might designate as a "Charter Commission," to the end that a new charter be prepared for submission to this next session of the Legislature. I shall request your Board to furnish such "Charter Commission" with the attendance and services of a stenographer and typist, together with the necessary stationery and supplies. While personally I am reluctant to request the services that I shall ask certain public-spirited citizens to render gratuitously for Hoboken, yet the common welfare demands that I make the beginning. Appreciating full well the valued services and great sacrifices I shall be requesting, nevertheless I have in mind at a near future date, to respectfully solicit and request to serve upon such "Charter Commission," the

following persons, viz.: Messrs. E. V. S. Bes-son, Edwin J. Kerr, Lawrence Fagan, Adolph Lankering, George H. Stell, George Gonzales, Palmer Campbell, C. Alfred Burhorn, E. H. Horwood, Edward R. Stanton, Anthony J. Volk, James O'Rourke, C. H. C. Jagels, Frank Cordts, Herman Geismar, W. L. E. Keuffel, Thomas F. Hatfield, Hon. James F. Minturn, Rudolph F. Rabe, Samuel A. Bes-son, Charles F. Matlage, William S. Stuhr, Julius Lichtenstein, Archibald Alexander, Richard Stevens, Oscar Frommel, Rufus Bes-son, together with other prominent citizens and taxpayers of our city.

This Commission can take up the wants and defects in our old charter and in the existing laws, and, giving to the subject advanced thought, bring about the enactment of a suitable and proper form of municipal govern-ment for Hoboken.

SEWERS.

For the past ten years or more, the ques-tion of sewerage has been agitated, and there is to-day an insistent demand that this sub-ject be taken up, a proper solution arrived at, and an efficient sewerage plan put in actual operation. At one time a commission was appointed to give the matter considera-tion, and various plans have been formulated, but so far the actual work of consummating a sewer system for Hoboken has not ma-terialized. The question has reached an acute stage. Mere discussion, followed by procrastination, has not given and will not give us results. Some method of re-lieving the northwestern section of our city is imperative. The many industries there located should remain and other manufac-tories be encouraged to settle with us. The natural situation of that portion of Hoboken is ideal and excellent for such purposes, and in my judgment the sole reason why that section is not covered with factories and busy workshops is the want of sewerage facilities. To assist in the development and growth of that industrial portion of Hoboken will indirectly render more valuable the resi-dential sections, and tend to the advancement and betterment of our entire city.

In order that this subject be taken up in-telligently, and, if possible, a proper and suitable sewerage system be obtained, I recommend that your Board engage the services of a competent engineering expert who will be qualified to examine into the entire situation and to prepare a sufficient and proper plan or system of sewerage, in order that he may submit the same, with the necessary plans or drawings, together with his recommendation to your Board for your earnest consideration. I would sug-

gest for such appointment the name of James H. Fuertes, Esquire, of 140 Nassau street, New York City, who has been well recommended to me by some of our largest taxpayers and their representatives, as such competent expert.

FINANCES.

In referring to the finances of Hoboken, I am pleased to note the good credit of the city, as appears from recent bond sales, and also the good condition of the city's gen-eral affairs, as shown in the report of the examination of the city's records recently made and submitted to your Honorable Body.

Now that such condition of affairs is known and a method provided for properly keeping control of them has been designated, it is my desire, that all departments main-tain at least the standard set for them, that all suggestions made be fully carried out, and that such additions thereto be made as may be found necessary at any time in the future.

At this time, it may be opportune to sug-gest that all increases or additions to the bonded debt of the city should be carefully considered.

There should be established a perfect ratio between any increases in the bonded indebt-edness of the city and the revenue to be derived from the increased valuation of as-sessable property as determined each fiscal year, in order that the fixed charges for in-terest on said bonded debt and the required sinking fund installments upon the same may be regularly provided, as well as funds for whatever increases in expense may be necessary for the current operation of the city.

In the future, the probable annual in-crease in the assessed valuation of property will be of a more or less restricted amount, owing to the comparatively small balance of unimproved property within the boundary limits of our city.

This limitation will restrict the revenue to be received from the increased valuation in a pro rata amount.

It is my desire that we live up to the record of fair dealing with all our citizens in the matter of taxes and public improve-ments as in the past, and that we also re-main within the limit of the revenue re-ceived from all purposes.

I think it incumbent upon myself and your Honorable Body, as the financial body of the city, to look as closely as possible into all financial matters of the city, and especially the question of disbursements of all departments.

Certain conditions have been found during the recent examination, which make it appear that there should be a closer relationship between the financial body and other co-ordinate branches of our city government. I particularly recommend that the old custom in vogue, under which requisitions were made by the various committees for supplies and work, be immediately changed, and that hereafter proper requisition books be kept in the office of the City Clerk, and that all orders or requisitions for work and supplies be made in duplicate or triplicate, and that before any requisition be taken from such record book, the same be signed, not only by the proper committee, but also by the Comptroller, who shall see to it that no materials or work are ordered in excess of the amount appropriated for such purpose. In this way all supplies or purchases will be made by proper requisition. This will require some additional work, both on the part of the Comptroller and City Clerk, but it is imperative that we conform to proper business form in all our transactions.

I would advise that your body direct the Comptroller to exercise his duty as Auditor of the School District.

STREETS.

We should not view the shortcomings of our city in a pessimistic manner, but rather with the spirit and determination to remedy such matters as afford opportunity for improvement. We feel that Washington street, the principal thoroughfare in our city, should be repaved with an up-to-date pavement, as durable and long lived at least as the term of the bonds issued for the payment of it. Before such repavement is attempted we must bring about the removal of all overhead wires on Washington street and adopt a proper plan of lighting such street.

Other streets will need your attention, particularly Ferry street, but in such consideration you must keep in mind our increasing tax rate.

It is a source of satisfaction that your Board has awarded a contract for the improvement of Second street. If the repavement of Washington street and Second street be accomplished during the present year, such attainment will give much satisfaction throughout the city.

Relative to the cleanliness of our streets I may say that I have occasion to pass along them daily and I observe the men employed in that department doing their work. Neglect in keeping the streets clean must not be tolerated, and I advise that your Board at all times keep a watchful eye that

this important matter be not neglected.

Nothing seems to have been done toward establishing sidewalks at a uniform grade, and I recommend that your Board ascertain whether you have the power to regulate the matter of uniform sidewalks of a proper and established grade, or whether it be necessary to seek legislation therefor in order that improvements in this respect may be enforced by the Street Commissioner or other proper authority.

SCHOOLS.

My activities in the past have not brought me in touch with our schools, but I regard it of the utmost importance that the powers of my office be exerted to procure and maintain an efficient administration of this branch of our government.

While the construction of our new High School has given us a splendid school building, and the erection of the new school building No. 1 will do likewise, yet the heavy burden of this enormous expense will be felt by our taxpayers, and it is mandatory that if there be any waste whatsoever in this department it must be stopped.

The new Board of Education can be entrusted to do their full duty if they find any one occupying unnecessary positions or discover any form of extravagance or waste.

POLICE.

The Police Department of our city needs no praise from me. Every fair-minded man will agree that we have one of the best police departments in the State, if not the very best. Less crime is committed in Hoboken than in any other city in the State of the same population. There exists in the men of the force an earnestness of purpose and intention to faithfully perform police duty that is rarely found in a like body of men. This is due in a great measure to the non-interference by the Police Commissioners with the Chief of Police, whose ability is recognized. His authority should meet with no interference, if the efficiency and discipline of the department are to be continued.

During the last two months the Board of Police Commissioners have done more to demoralize the department than it was ever thought possible, but such actions have the good effect of arousing the citizens and bringing about that condition wherein a police officer will feel that to receive promotion he must merit it.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

My former connection with the Board of Fire Commissioners gives me a special interest in the fire department. What I have

said with reference to our Chief of Police. I might repeat of our Chief of the Fire Department. The confidence entrusted in him is justly deserved, and the less he is interfered with in his sphere of duty the better will be the results furnished the city by the entire fire department, for the officers and men are a source of credit and pride to Hoboken. The small loss by fire in Hoboken and the manner in which nearly all fires are confined practically to the room or spot in which the same originates, speaks more highly of the effectiveness of our fire department than I can do.

HEALTH.

The health of our city at present is a source of great satisfaction. In the duties required of the Board of Health and its Inspectors, we must be ever careful and strive for a vigorous enforcement of the Health Code and the Sanitary Rules and Regulations. Too much praise cannot be given to Mr. Richard Stevens and the Robert L. Stevens Fund for the establishment of a pure milk station on Willow avenue for mothers and children. Without doubt it was this, in conjunction with the work of the Board of Health, that effectually lowered the death rate of the children during the past summer.

PARKS.

It is to be regretted that we are losing some of our large trees in our parks. I think that hereafter when new trees are required for planting, larger ones should be procured than those recently set out, in order that we may the sooner get the benefit of their shade. Our parks are the breathing spots for many people who cannot leave the city during the hot weather and they should be made as attractive as possible.

Conditions surrounding Church Square Park make it difficult to keep in proper condition, but your board should make an extra effort to eliminate the bare spots in the lawn. The other parks are in good condition, and they should not under any circumstances be allowed to deteriorate.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The advantages and benefits emanating from this institution can only be understood and appreciated by those who have occasion to enter the Public Library, and observe the steady stream of young and old that enters and leave, taking with them books that furnish both learning and recreation. The far-reaching influence of our library can hardly be calculated. The open shelf system and the juvenile department recently instituted, show that the commissioners and Librarian are endeavoring to make the Free Public Library as popular as possible.

PLAYGROUNDS.

Rather than communicating with you in reference to the Playground Commission, I would prefer to go with your honorable body to that recreation centre and there witness the splendid work that is being done by the Commission and its capable Superintendent, as testified by those happy and joyful children.

It is with difficulty that we realize the accomplishment of such grand results based upon the expenditure of such a small amount of money. I am certain that the work to the members of the Commission is a labor of love, and we should be most pleased that members so well fitted take such an active and intelligent interest in our children.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

In the past through the employment of special counsel by the Board of Education, considerable money has been expended, notwithstanding the two competent legal advisers we have representing the city, as Corporation Attorney and Assistant Corporation Attorney.

I would recommend that hereafter the Board of Education do not engage special counsel, but that they accept the services of the Corporation Attorney and Assistant Corporation Attorney.

If your Board deem it expedient so to do, certain hours each day and night might be designated and fixed for the attendance of the law department at the City Hall for such services as may be required of them.

From time to time as matters may arise I shall communicate with your Honorable Body, and I confidently expect to receive your co-operation and assistance in giving to Hoboken an administration for which no apology need be made.

In conclusion, I would say that the spirit in which I am sending this message is that its recommendations are not for mere perusal and then to be forgotten. I consider them promises made to the people, the fulfillment of which I shall strive for. If I be mistaken I shall be pleased to have my errors pointed out to me; but let us with honesty of purpose give to the people of Hoboken the best services which we are capable of, in order that our performances in public office justify form the judgment that will be passed upon us.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the message from His Honor the Mayor be received, spread in full on the minutes, and the Clerk directed to have 500 copies printed

for distribution.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke, was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. Michael Hayes, Police Commissioner, for the full term of four years, ending January 1, 1916.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received and the appointment of Michael Hayes, as Police Commissioner, be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—I am advised that on January 1, 1911, former Mayor George Gonzales sent to your Honorable Body the name of Jacob E. W. Kuper for appointment as Police Commissioner for the term of four years, which appointment you did not confirm.

I therefore, subject to your confirmation, hereby appoint Mr. George Mallen as Police Commissioner for the term of three years, ending January 1, 1915.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received and the appointment of Mr. George Mallen as Police Commissioner be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. Henry Lohmann, Jr., Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes for the full term of five years, ending January 1, 1917.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received, and the appointment of Mr. Henry Lohmann, Jr., as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—I am advised that on January 1, 1911, former Mayor George Gonzales sent to your Honorable Body the name of Epley C. Bidleman for appointment as Commissioner of Taxes for the term of five years, which appointment you did not confirm.

I therefore, subject to your confirmation, hereby appoint Mr. Charles Guaraglia as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes for the term of four years, ending January 1, 1916.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received and the appointment of Mr. Charles Guaraglia as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. James Harksen as Commissioner of Assessments for a full term of three years, ending January 1, 1915.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received, and that the appointment of Mr. James Harksen as Commissioner of Assessments be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 308 of the Session Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act concerning playgrounds and recreation places in this State, and providing for the establishment, equipment, maintenance, control, use and regulation thereof (Revision of 1911)," I hereby appoint the following named persons, citizens and residents of this city, as Commissioners of Playgrounds, who shall constitute and be known as the Board of Playground Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, for the terms set opposite their respective names, the said terms to begin January 1, 1912.

Leo Mayer, for the term of one year.

John J. McGovern, for the term of two years.

Julius Lichtenstein, for the term of three years.

F. C. Wolff, M. D., for the term of four years.

Mrs. Caroline B. Alexander, for the term of five years.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received, and the appointment of Leo Mayer, John J. McGovern, Julius Lichtenstein, F. C. Wolff, M. D., and Mrs. Caroline B. Alexander as Commissioner of Playgrounds, be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. Patrick J. Barry Fire Commissioner, for a full term of five years, ending January 1, 1917.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received, and that the appointment of Mr. Patrick J. Barry as Fire Commissioner be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented and read: To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I am advised by the Corporation Attorney that by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of 1911, I am required to appoint nine persons to be member of the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken, who shall severally possess the qualification for membership described in the school law.

I therefore hereby notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed the following named persons to be members of "The Board of Education of the City of Hoboken, in the County of Hudson."

George Lankering, Julius Lichtenstein and George Gebhardt, for the term of one year, beginning February 1, 1912.

Robert H. Alberts, Richard A. Marnell and Lawrence Lynch, for the term of two years, beginning February 1, 1912.

Richard Mooney, Bernard Vezzetti and James P. Laverty, for the term of three years, beginning February 1, 1912.

Respectfully,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

December 29, 1911.

Hon. Martin Cooke, Mayor-elect of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sir—You have asked my opinion as to your right, under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of 1911, to appoint nine persons as members of the Board of Education of the Hoboken School District, in the place and stead of the persons now serving as members of said Board, under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Session Laws of 1892.

Chapter 49 of the Session Laws of 1892, page 82, is an act to provide for the establishment of a Commission of Public Instruction in cities of the second class in this State, whose population exceeds fifty thousand. This act provides for a Board of Education composed of and managed and controlled by eight commissioners, to be known as Commissioners of Public Instruction, not more than one half of said commissioners to be of the same political party. The said act further provides that the Mayor of such city shall be a member ex-officio of said Board, and shall be entitled to vote herein in case of a tie. This provision, therefore, makes said Board consist of nine members in all, notwithstanding the limitation upon the rights of the member ex-officio.

The Board of Education of the City of Hoboken has heretofore been organized and working under the provisions of the aforesaid act of 1892.

Chapter 1 of the Session Laws passed by the second special session of the Legislature, convened October 15, 1903, entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, which is commonly known as the "School law," provides, in Article 6, Section 38, thereof, for the appointment, by the Mayor or other chief executive officer of a city, of nine persons, to be members of the Board of Education of such city school district.

Section 39 thereof provides for the election of nine persons, to be members of the Board of Education of such city school district.

Section 40 thereof provides that the acceptance of the provisions of either Section 38 or 39 of said act shall be submitted to the qualified voters of any city at a general or municipal election, to be held therein; provided, that such submission shall be had and such vote shall be taken whenever the Common Council, Board of Aldermen or other legislative body of the city or the Board of Education of any school district situate in such city shall have, by

resolution, determined that such question shall be so submitted, or whenever at least five per centum of the legal voters of such city, as shown by the election returns of the last municipal election in such city, shall, by their petition, duly signed and delivered to the clerk of such city, have requested that such question shall be so submitted. It is also provided in said act that in any city school district, until the organization of a Board of Education in such school district, as provided in Section 38 or 39 of said act, the administration and conduct of the public schools and the management and control of the public school property therein, shall remain in and shall be exercised by any Board of Education or other body theretofore having control of the public schools therein. Upon the organization of a Board of Education in said district, as provided in Section 38 or 39, the Board of Education or other body theretofore having charge of the public schools in such school district, or in such city, or having custody, charge or management of any fund or property used for or in the maintaining of public schools in such district or city, and having no other function, shall be ipso facto abolished.

Section 246 of the school law of 1903 provides that all school districts shall after the passage of said act, be governed solely by the provisions thereof and all acts and parts of acts general, special or local, so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of said act are thereby repealed.

Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of 1911, page 512, is an act to amend Section 38 of the aforesaid school law of 1903, and also repeals Sections 39, 40 and 241 of said act.

By the aforesaid act of 1911, Section 38 of the aforesaid act of 1903 is amended, so that it now provides that in each city, other than those cities where Boards of Education consist of less than nine members each, the Mayor or other chief executive of said city shall, during the month of January next after the passage of said act, appoint nine persons to be members of the Board of Education of such school district. In making the first appointment the Mayor, or the chief executive officer, shall appoint three of such persons to serve for one year, three for two years, and three for three years, and annually thereafter during the month of January, the said Mayor or other chief executive officer of such city shall appoint members of the said Board of Education to serve for the term of three years to take the place of those members whose terms shall expire with such year. Any vacancy in such

Board of Education shall be forthwith reported by the secretary of said board to the Mayor or other chief executive officer, who shall, within thirty days thereafter, appoint a person to fill such vacancy for the unexpired term. To every such appointee, as aforesaid, said Mayor or other chief executive officer shall issue and deliver a certificate of appointment. The term of office of a member of the Board of Education, except a member appointed to fill an unexpired term, shall begin on the first day of February next succeeding his appointment. Said act further provides that the terms of office of all members of the Board of Education in school districts of cities which are affected by said act, and in districts which adopted Article 6 of the act of 1903, shall expire on the thirty-first day of January next after the passage of said act.

The City of Hoboken never took advantage of the provisions of Sections 38-39-40 of the school law of 1903, and therefore the Board of Education, as organized and existing under and by virtue of the aforesaid action of 1892, has continued without change to the present time.

I advise you therefore, that under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 233 of the Session Laws of 1911, you are authorized and required to appoint, during the month of January, 1912, nine persons to be members of the Board of Education of the school district of the City of Hoboken, who shall severally possess the qualifications for membership prescribed in Section 41 of the school law of 1903; three of such persons to be appointed by you to serve for one year, three for two years, and three for three years. To every such appointee you should issue and deliver a certificate of appointment. The term of office of your appointees shall begin on the first day of February, 1912, and they shall be in the place and stead of the members of the School Board heretofore serving under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Session Laws of 1892.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Councilman Duffy moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received, and that the report from Corporation Attorney Fallon be received and entered in full on the minutes.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Messrs. John J. Rudolph and Solomon Lubash as members of the Board of Health, for a full term of four years, ending January 1, 1916.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 1, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. William J. O'Toole a member of the Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library, for a full term of five years, ending January 1, 1917.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, relative to the conditions existing at Seventeenth street and Willow avenue, was presented, read, received and laid on the table until the committees are appointed.

Councilmen Pflugh, Luehs, LaPointe, Belloff, Duffy, Rath, Larkin, McFeely, Delaney and Chairman Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That John J. Fallon be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Corporation Attorney for the official term of five years, as provided by statute.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilmen Pflugh, Luehs, LaPointe, Belloff, Duffy, Rath, Larkin, McFeely, Delaney and Chairman Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That Horace L. Allen be and he is hereby appointed Assistant Corporation Attorney for the official term of one year, beginning January 1, 1912, as provided by law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilmen Rath and Belloff presented the following:

Resolved, That Julius Jeszkiszky be and he is hereby appointed as Member of the Board of Examining Engineers for the official term of three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman LaPointe presented the following:

Whereas, It is of the utmost importance to the citizens of the City of Hoboken and to the welfare of the city that an adequate and efficient sewerage system be established and maintained; and

Whereas, It is manifest that the present system of sewers in operation in the north and western section of the city do not efficiently drain the marsh or low lands situated in said sections, and by reason thereof the health of the entire city is endangered, or is likely to be endangered, unless a more efficient and practical method of draining said marsh or low lands be immediately established, therefore be it

Resolved, That James H. Fuertes, Esq., be and he hereby is retained and engaged to examine into the existing sewerage conditions in the City of Hoboken, and to submit to the Mayor and Council, at his earliest convenience, his recommendations as to a suitable and proper system of sewerage for the city,

together with such plans, drawings, profiles and data as he may deem expedient; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the City Clerk to the said James H. Fuertes, Esq., 140 Nassau street, New York City.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Belloff presented the following:

Resolved, That the regular meetings of the Council be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 4 o'clock p. m., and the several Committees of the Council meet on the Tuesday evening preceding the regular meeting at 8 o'clock p. m.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Belloff presented the following:

Resolved, That the Rules of Order governing the former Board of Council be adopted for the government of this Council for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, January 10, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the reading of the minutes of the adjourned stated session of the Council held on December 29, 1911, the adjourned stated session held on January 1, 1912, a. m., and the special session held on January 1, 1912, p. m., was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Invitation to attend the annual ball of the Hoboken Schuetzen Corps, to be held at Schuetzen Park, Union Hill, on Monday, January 15, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Notice of claim in the matter of Margaret Allison against the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

State of New Jersey.

Department of Weights and Measures.

Trenton, January 5, 1912.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, Hoboken, N. J.:

Dear Sir—We beg to acknowledge receipt of copy of ordinance appointing Daniel J. Gray, Superintendent of Weights and Measures for the City of Hoboken; also certificate of appointment, both of which have been filed.

We desire to thank you for your early and favorable attention, and wish to assure Hoboken, through you, that we stand ready at all times to co-operate to our mutual advantage and interest.

Respectfully,

Department of Weights and Measures,

WM. L. WALDRON,

Superintendent.

The following applications were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses: John Marshall, Robert Boyce.

For second-hand dealers' licenses: Paul Stutser, J. Wolpin.

For porter's license: Edward Wortmann.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

James J. Farrell, 18 days' services to

Board of Assessors..... \$54 00

Soney & Sage, four sets New Jersey

compiled statutes 100 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and

Buildings:

Thos. F. Devlin, two signs for Coun-

cil 5 00

Hoboken Land and Impt. Co., wharf-

age of public bath for Dec., 1911.. 20 00

Lawrence Pendergast, 23 days' ser-

vices as janitor of City Hall..... 57 50

Ben Benedix, labor at City Hall.... 10 00

Spohn & Wittenberg, 1 dozen chairs

for Police Headquarters..... 36 00

Spohn & Wittenberg, one desk for

Collector of Revenue..... 12 75

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at

Second Precinct 11 08

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at

City Hall 20 95

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at

parks 50 86

To the Committee on Streets and Assess-

ments:

Joseph Kneer, clipping horses, etc... 20 00

John Zang, repairs for Street Depart-

ment 44 85

To the Committee on Sewers:

Fagan Iron Works, manhole cover... 10 00

To the Committee on Printing and Station-

ery:

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes

of Dec. 27, 1911..... 121 80

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes

of Dec. 29, 1911..... 77 40

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes

of Jan. 1, 1912, a. m..... 18 30

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes

of Jan. 1, 1912, p. m..... 126 60

Hudson Observer, stationery furnish-

ed Assistant Corporation Attorney. 67 50

To the Committee on Alms:

G. Bauer, groceries furnished poor... 15 00

Martin Burns, groceries furnished

poor 13 50

J. Baracchi, groceries furnished poor 33 00

A. Begemann, groceries furnished poor 32 00

H. Behnken, groceries furnished poor 39 00

M. Goldman, groceries furnished poor 21 00

E. Londrigan, groceries furnished

poor 99 00

E. Miehe, groceries furnished poor.. 12 00

J. Rehm, groceries furnished poor... 13 00

A. Schlein, groceries furnished poor. 27 00

The following communication from His

Honor Mayor Cooke, was presented, read and

received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, Jan. 10, 1912.

To the Council:

I herewith return to your Honorable Body the resolution directing the City Clerk to draw a warrant to the order of the Rev. William R. Jenvey, President to the United Aid Society, as per appropriation of the Board of Tax Commissioners, which resolution was passed by you on August 23, 1911, and which Mayor Gonzales failed to approve or disapprove within the time prescribed by law; also the warrant accompanying said resolution.

I am advised by the Corporation Attorney that the City it without authority to appropriate moneys to private persons or corporations.

I send you herewith the opinion submitted to me by the Corporation Attorney relating thereto.

Respectfully,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 6, 1912.

Hon. Martin Cooke, Mayor of the City of Hoboken.

"Dear Sir—You have asked my opinion as to your right to sign, as Mayor, a warrant duly presented to the former Mayor, George Gonzales, in the sum of \$1,000 payable to the United Aid Society, which warrant was not acted upon by former Mayor Gonzales and is now before you for your official action. I am informed that said sum of \$1,000 was appropriated by the Board of Tax Commissioners for the use of said society.

"I advise you that you should not sign said warrant. The City of Hoboken is without authority to appropriate moneys to private persons or corporations, nor can the public moneys be expended for other than 'public purposes.' Section 20, of Article 1, of the Constitution of the State of New Jersey, as amended, distinctly provides: 'No donation of land or appropriation of moneys shall be made by the State or any municipal corporation to or for the use of any society, association or corporation whatever.' I suggest therefore that you return said warrant to the Council, which body should reconsider the payment thereof. I presume that the Council considered it was obliged to direct that a warrant be issued to said society in payment of said sum of \$1,000 because of said sum having been specifically appropriated by the Board of Tax Commissioners therefor.

"Respectfully,
"JOHN J. FALLON,
"Corporation Attorney."

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
January 10, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—I return herewith warrants and claims left unsigned by my predecessor in office, George Gonzales, for your further consideration and action.

Respectfully,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., January 6, 1912.

The Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—Notice was served upon me yesterday by Leon Abbett, attorney for Hudson Contracting Company, James O'Malley and George Gonzales, of an application to be made by him on Saturday, January 6, 1912, to the Hon. Francis J. Swayze, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, to review the action of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken in connection with a certain resolution awarding to the Central Contracting Company a contract for the removal of ashes and garbage from the streets of the City of Hoboken, which said resolution was adopted November 29, 1911, vetoed by the Mayor, and subsequently adopted by the Council, notwithstanding said veto of the Mayor, and also the contract between the Mayor and Council and said Central Contracting Company entered into in pursuance of said resolution.

I attended before Justice Swayze to-day in response to said notice, and the matter was argued. At the conclusion of the argument Justice Swayze denied the writ of certiorari, but stated that he would grant to the prosecutors an order to show cause why a writ of certiorari may not issue, returnable at the February term of the Supreme Court.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., January 10, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—We beg to notify your Honorable body that the Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes have organized this day.

And beg to further notify your Honorable Body that Commissioner Henry Lohmann, Jr., was duly elected President of the Board

of Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes for the ensuing year.

Respectfully,
COMMISSIONERS OF ASSESSMENTS OF TAXES.

P. J. MURRAY,
Clerk.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of December, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of December, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of sewer tapping fees for the months of October, November and December, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening fees for the months of October and November, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the selling of old paving blocks for the month of October, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin of the sale of two old horses during the month of December, 1911, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,716.05, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of January, 1912, was presented, read and received.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$50,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, was presented, read and received.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Philip Daab, as Assistant Comptroller.

Antonio Giordano, as junkman.

Councilmen Larkin and Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,716.05, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of January, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Lar-

kin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen, Delaney, Duffy, Luehs and Pfugh.

Councilmen Larkin and Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant or warrants on the School Fund for the sum of \$50,000 in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen, Delaney, Duffy, Luehs and Pfugh.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Whereas, His Honor Mayor Martin Cooke has this day returned to the Council various warrants and claims heretofore passed by the Council and left unsigned by former Mayor George Gonzales, for the further consideration of the Council;

Resolved, That the said claims be and the same are hereby repassed, and that the previous action of the Council in the passing of said claims be and the same is hereby ratified.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen, Delaney, Duffy, Luehs and Pfugh.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$500 in favor of George Gonzales, for salary as Mayor for the quarter ending December, 1911.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen, Delaney, Duffy, Luehs and Pfugh.

Councilman LaPointe moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, January 16, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday afternoon, January 16, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Petition from Mrs. Louis Fuchs, requesting a refund of \$5 paid to the Street Commissioner for street opening fee, at 423 Jefferson street, to repair water service, the same being the city's water main, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from John Keresey, relative to the increase of taxes since 1906, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Chairman Anderson presented the following list of Standing Committees of the Council for the year 1912, was presented, read, received and the Clerk was directed to have cards printed for distribution:

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 16, 1912.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—I herewith appoint the following members as the Standing Committees of the Council for the ensuing year:

FINANCE AND SALARIES.

Rath, Luehs, Pflugh, Duffy.

PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

Duffy, Larkin, LaPointe, Rath.

STREETS AND ASSESSMENTS.

McFeely, Delaney, Larkin, Duffy.

SEWERS.

Delaney, McFeely, Belloff, Larkin.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Duffy, McFeely, Delaney, LaPointe.

LAMPS AND GAS.

Belloff, Pflugh, Luehs, Larkin.

LICENSES.

Larkin, Luehs, Belloff, McFeely.

ALMS.

Pflugh, Rath, Luehs, Larkin, LaPointe.

POLICE AND MILITIA.

LaPointe, Belloff, Rath, Pflugh.

FIRE AND WATER.

Belloff, Pflugh, Delaney, Luehs.

SCHOOLS.

Pflugh, Delaney, Belloff, Rath.

LAWS AND ORDINANCES.

Luehs, LaPointe, Rath, Belloff.

LEGISLATION.

Luehs, Duffy, Rath, LaPointe, Pflugh.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Delaney, Pflugh, LaPointe, McFeely.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

McFeely, Belloff, Delaney, Larkin.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Rath, LaPointe, McFeely, Delaney.

BOARD OF SCHOOL ESTIMATE.

Delaney, Duffy.

Yours respectfully,

F. J. ANDERSON,

Chairman.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue..... \$72 00

New York Telephone Co., telephone service 41 55

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at Hudson Square Park. 40 30

Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at Church Square Park 15 27

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage from December 15, 1911, to January 16, 1912.... 1001 84

Pay roll, cleaning streets (snow).... 261 60

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 37 50

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 54 75

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 328 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets (snow).... 205 80

Charles Hvass & Co., 10 doz. handles for Street Department 17 50

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 90 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

To the Committee on Alms:

Herman Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor 48 00

F. Lillenthal, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 6 00

Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor 12 00

M. Driesen, clothing furnished the poor 2 00

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,291.87, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of January, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

The following bond was presented, read and

referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

John J. Fallon, as Corporation Attorney.

Chairman Anderson declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, relative to the conditions existing at Seventeenth street nad Willow avenue, which was presented, read and laid on the table until the Committees were appointed, which was presented January 1, 1912.

Councilman Larkin moved that the same be taken from the table.

Adopted.

Chairman Anderson referred the above communication to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	\$90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	32 80
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	98 00
Martin Burns, groceries furnished the poor	13 50
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
W. D. Lange, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
J. Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	13 00
M. Goldman, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage from December 15, 1911, to January 16, 1912....	1001 84
Pay roll, cleaning streets (snow)....	261 60
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Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Herman Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor	48 00
F. Lillenthal, groceries furnished the	

poor	15 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
M. Driesen, clothing furnished the poor	2 00

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the representatives of the several corporations owning or controlling overhead wires on Washington street, between Ferry street and Fourteenth street; also Fourteenth street, east and west, be requested to attend with the Committee of the Whole of the Council on Tuesday, January 23, 1912, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Hoboken, N. J., with the view of determining the most expedient means of providing for the placing of said wires underground.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars, to the order of Joseph H. Cummings, Inspector of Buildings, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of ten dollars (\$10) for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars to the order of Mrs. Louis Fuchs, same being a refund for a permit to open street at No. 423 Jefferson street, for the purpose of repairing the water main; said main being the property of the city.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,291.87, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of January, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,291.87, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of January, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of January, 1912:

Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	\$37 50
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	37 50
John Bergen, salary as driver.....	37 50
Michael Pridie, salary as driver....	37 50
William Valentine, salary as driver.	37 50
Edward Maguire, salary as stableman	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Edward Braden, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
James Carroll, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Edward Kivlon, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Park Keeper	37 50

Edward Kealey, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Timothy Larkin, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
John J. Sheehy, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Michael Shields, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Belloff presented the following:

Whereas, Much complaint has been made from time to time, and particularly of late, of the irregularity of the operation of street railway cars on Washington street, thus rendering abominable service to the patrons of the Public Service Railway Company;

Resolved, That the Common Council hereby protests against a continuance of such abominable service; and be it further

Resolved, That if the Public Service Railway Company does not forthwith give better service of its own accord, that the Corporation Attorney be directed to commence and prosecute such proceedings in behalf of the city as will result in compelling said company to realize and perform its duty to the public; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy hereof, duly certified by the City Clerk, be forwarded to the Public Service Railway Company.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

Councilman Belloff presented the following:

Whereas, The Public Service Railway Company has provided and maintains a waiting room on the upper part of its terminal in Hudson Place, thus providing for the comfort and convenience of its patrons during inclement weather; and

Whereas, Said company has failed to provide a waiting room on the lower part of said terminal which results to the discomfort and inconvenience of its patrons who use the

surface cars operating throughout the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, The recent and present cold weather has demonstrated the particular need of waiting rooms on both the upper and lower parts of said terminal station;

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of Hoboken hereby protests against a continuance of such neglect upon the part of said company, and insists that suitable shelter be afforded the patrons of said company at said terminal station; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy hereof, duly certified by the City Clerk, be forwarded to the Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New

Jersey, for the purpose of calling the attention of said body to the condition complained of and with the view of having said Commissioners require the said company to remedy said condition forthwith.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, January 24, 1912.

Present—Councilmen, Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen La Pointe, Luehs, Pfugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Larkin, the reading of the minutes of the stated session, held on January 10, and the adjourned stated session held on January 16, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

A writ of certiorari, returnable January 30, 1912, from the New Jersey Supreme Court, the State ex rel, George Gonzales, prosecutor, vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, Martin Cooke, respondents in Chancery of New Jersey, between Diehl Manufacturing Company, a corporation, complainant, and Board of Education of the City of Hoboken, et al, defendants; summons from the District Court of Hoboken, Hoboken Printing and Publishing Company, plaintiff, vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, defendants, were presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

Petition from Fred. Hagens, requesting a refund of retail liquor license paid by him on 412-414 Washington street, which was destroyed by fire on December 25, 1911, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Councilman Rath appeared and took his seat.

Communication from Edwin E. Hine, Secretary of the Public Service Corporation, acknowledging receipt of notification from the City Clerk to attend a meeting of the Committee of the Whole on January 23, 1912 relative to the laying of underground wires was presented, read and received.

Communication from the New York Telephone Company, relative to the removal of overhead wires on Washington street and on Fourteenth street, was presented, read and received.

Petition of Benny Musto for a license for moving pictures at 518 Jefferson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Commissioner Luehs appeared and took his seat.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Cannon, washing towels..... \$9 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Mrs. Mary Clark, shoeing horses.... 55 50

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage 465 14

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 83 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Mayor's office 18 75

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 80 70

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 74 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 11 40

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue..... 8 75

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Overseer of the Poor..... 8 00

Hudson Observer, publishing \$262,750 school bond ordinance 66 42

Hudson Observer, publishing notice of extension of taxes 73 80

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court 24 00

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of January 10 and 16, 1912..... 39 10

The Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing ordinances 172 08

The Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing \$262,750 school bond ordinance 66 42

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 73 80

Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 11 55

To the Committee on Alms:

N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

E. Miehle, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

S. Cadematori, groceries furnished the poor 30 00

August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 34 50

C. Preuser, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor 33 00

N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor 6 00

Mrs. Mary Fosdick, care of homeless, 3 50
George Curcio, conveying homeless to
Almshouse 7 50
The following communication from His
Honor the Mayor was presented, read and
received:

Hoboken, N. J., January 24, 1912.
To the Council.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your
Honorable Body that I have this day ap-
pointed Mr. Morris Weisbart a member of
the Board of Health, to fill the unexpired
term of Dr. Aaron Friedman, resigned.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Report of the Board of Water Commis-
sioners for the year 1911, was presented,
read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Police
Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,725.47, to
pay salaries of the Police Department for the
last half month of January, 1912, was pre-
sented, read and referred to the Committee
on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Com-
missioners, for the sum of \$5,857.04, to pay
salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the
last half month of January, 1912, was pre-
sented, read and referred to the Committee
on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Com-
missioner, for the sum of \$4,732.71, to pay
salaries of the Fire Department for the first
half month of February, 1912, was pre-
sented, read and referred to the Committee
on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City
Treasurer, for the sum of \$3,440, to pay in-
terest on bonded debt due February 1, 1912,
was presented, read and referred to the
Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground
Commissioners for the sum of \$318.14, to
pay current expenses of said Board, was
presented, read and referred to the Com-
mittee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 4, from Schneider & Dief-
fenbach, architects, for the sum of \$5,558.15,
in favor of Paul J. Ener Company, contrac-
tors on alterations to City Hall, was pre-
sented, read and referred to the Committee
on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Chairman Anderson declared a recess
subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney,
Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and
Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

The various committees reported the fol-
lowing claims correct:

E. D. Vanderbille & Co., supplies fur- nished Street Department	\$72 50
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Assessors	90 00
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Collector of Revenue.....	59 50
Hudson Observer, binding copy of Laws of 1911	2 00
Hudson Observer, minutes, etc., for Excise Board	29 00
Hudson Observer, publishing min- utes of December 20, 1911.....	120 80
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Assistant Corporation At- torney	67 50
Hudson Observer, publishing min- utes of December 29, 1911.....	77 40
Hudson Observer, publishing min- utes of December 27, 1911.....	121 80
Hudson Observer, publishing min- utes of January 1, 1912, p. m.....	126 60
Hudson Observer, publishing min- utes of January 1, 1912, a. m.....	18 30
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Collector of Revenue....	62 75
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Assessors	60 00
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished City Treasurer	2 40
James Cannon, washing towels.....	\$6 00
Mrs. Mary Clark, shoeing horses....	55 50
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage	465 14
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
E. Miehle, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
S. Cadematori, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	34 50
C. Preuser, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Mrs. Mary Fosdick, care of homeless, George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	7 50

On motion of Councilman Larkin the re-
port was received and the claims ordered
paid by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,
Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chair-
man Anderson.
Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 4 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$5,558.15, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on alteration to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

Councilmen Duffy, Larkin and Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$5,558.15, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors, on the improvement of alterations to City Hall, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented January 24, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$5 in favor of Harry Bennett, for postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Saint Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of January, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Fred Hagens, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, the same being a refund of retail liquor license from January 1 to June 30, 1912, paid by him for the premises known as 412 414 Washington street, which were recently destroyed by fire.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,

Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of the Paid Firemen's Pension Fund of Hoboken, N. J., for the sum of Twenty-six hundred dollars, being the amount received during the year 1911 for the following-named theatre, moving picture, concert hall licenses, according to chapter 285, page 503, Session Laws of 1910.

Nicholas M. Schenk, 79 Hudson street, theatre	\$300 00
Washington St. Amusement Co., 1013 Washington street, theatre.	300 00
A. M. Bruggemann, 118 Hudson street, theatre	300 00
Philip Gottlieb, 357 First street, moving picture	200 00
Isaac Schnieweis, 465 First street, moving picture	200 00
Charles Guilloud, 116 Washington street, moving picture	200 00
Frank P. Daley, 420 Washington street, moving picture	200 00
Fred C. Roesch, 108 Clinton street, moving picture	200 00
W. H. Peck, 259 First street, moving picture	200 00
Adam Dietzel, 102 River street, concert hall	100 00
Oscar Driesbach, 90-92 River street, concert hall	100 00
Henry Hansen, 118 Washington street, concert hall	100 00
Marc Geiger, 127 Washington street, concert hall	100 00
Charles Reinking, 125-127 Hudson street, concert hall	100 00
Total	\$2,600 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police Commissioners, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$1,519.25, to pay claims of the Police Department for the months of November and December, 1911, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the

Police Fund for the sum of \$1,519.25, in favor of Martin Cooke, president of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay claims of the Police Department for the months of November and December, 1911.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,725.47, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of January, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,725.47, in favor of Martin Cooke, president of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of January, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$5,857.04, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of January, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$5,857.04, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of January, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of

\$4,732.71, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of February, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,732.71, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of February, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$3,440, to pay interest on bonded debt due February 1, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$3,440, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due February 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission, for the sum of \$318.14, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$318.14, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and

he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of January, 1912, to the amount of \$5,415.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half-month of January, 1912, to the amount of \$730, and also warrants for the first half-month of February, 1912, to the amount of \$730 (subject to corrections), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, An ordinance was duly passed by the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, on the twenty-seventh day of December, nineteen hundred and eleven, authorizing the issuance of bonds of said city in the aggregate sum of two hundred and sixty-two thousand seven hundred and fifty (\$262,750) dollars, for the purpose of raising money to make provisions for the settlement of the claim of the Calumet Construction Company against the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken, for work done on Public School Number 9; for the purchase or condemnation of lands to form a

part of a plot whereon to erect a building to take the place of School Number 1. and for the erection and equipment of a School House to take the place of School Number 1. and for the furnishing of a New High School Building, which said ordinance was approved by the Mayor of the City on the twenty-ninth day of December, nineteen hundred and eleven, and the same duly advertised; and

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 235 of the Laws of the State of New Jersey, Session of 1911, the aforesaid issue of \$262,750 School Bonds authorized under said ordinance, were on January 10th, 1912, offered for sale to the Trustees for the support of Public Schools, at the price of \$105.1813; and

Whereas, On January 15th, 1912, the Trustees for the Support of Public Schools, at their meeting held at Trenton, New Jersey, refused to buy the aforesaid bonds at the aforesaid price for want of sufficient funds; and

Whereas, The firm of Kissel, Kinnicutt & Company have offered to purchase the aforesaid bonds at said price of \$105.1813; therefore be it

Resolved, That said issue of \$262,750 of School Bonds, dated January 1st, 1912, due January 1st, 1942, bearing interest at 4½ per cent. per annum, authorized by the aforesaid ordinance, be and the same are hereby sold to Kissel, Kinnicutt & Co., at the price of \$105.1813, upon the payment therefore according to law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, February 14, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LePointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on January 24, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Writ of certiorari from the New Jersey Supreme Court, Joseph Waddington, prosecutor, vs. Board of School Estimate and Mayor and Council, defendants, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

Petition of John L. Oest, for refund of \$38.23, for taxes paid by him on No. 130 River street, said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation, was presented; read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from M. F. Rubens, requesting a refund of \$40.24, for taxes paid by Morris Kaplan et al, on property 503-505 Jefferson street, said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, requesting a refund of \$68.01, for taxes paid by them on certain property owned by them in this city, said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from Edith S. Pollard, requesting a refund of \$4.02, for chattel taxes paid by her against No. 617 Hudson street, she having vacated said premises, and reported correct by the Collector of Revenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from merchants and residents of this city, requesting the Council to take steps to bring about a suitable and economical, ornamental illumination on Washington street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Petition from merchants and residents of the City of Hoboken, requesting that a suitable and economical ornamental lighting be

installed on Washington street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Petition from Thies Biel, requesting a duplicate exempt fireman's certificate, as the original one has been destroyed, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, approving of the intention to repave Washington street, place all wires underground and install and erect an ornamental system of illumination on Washington street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, acknowledging receipt of copy of resolution relative to waiting room on lower floor of terminal, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Public Service Railway Company, acknowledging the receipt of copy of resolution relative to trolley service on Washington street, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, in the matter of the complaint of the City of Hoboken vs. Public Service Railway Company, relative to waiting room on lower floor of terminal, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole and the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from the Board of Examining Engineers, requesting permission to have their minutes published in the Observer, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery.

Communication from R. E. Collins, City Clerk of the City of Cleveland, Ohio, enclosing a copy of resolution adopted by the City of Cleveland, providing for the coinage of a three-cent piece, and requesting to enlist the aid of our Congressmen and United States Senators in the passage of the aforesaid bill, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Legislation.

The following petition was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses: William Schaak, for concert hall license.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:	
New York Telephone Co., telephone service	\$40 19
Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue	72 00
P. J. Murray, incidental expenses to Board of Assessors.....	6 48
James J. Farrell, 18 days service to Board of Assessors.....	54 00
Charles Fall, builders' risk insurance	

on City Hall	10 68
Leo Mayer, builders' risk insurance on City Hall	11 34
Michael Aronsberg, builders' risk insurance on City Hall.....	5 40
Albert S. Schiller, builders' risk insurance on City Hall.....	9 00
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:	
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	386 25
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished parks	20 61
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	77 25
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Hudson Square Park.....	7 73
John Grese, recaning chairs at City Hall	10 00
James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	60 00
James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	4 80
Hoboken Land and Improvement Co., wharfage on public bath for January, 1912	20 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairs and supplies at Police Headquarters	20 50
Lawrence Pendergast, janitor service at City Hall	77 50
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	422 70
Pay roll, cleaning snow.....	237 00
Pay roll, cleaning snow.....	254 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets (snow)....	334 40
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage.....	465 14
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	36 15
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, repairing box drain.....	20 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	51 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, binding, etc., 34 copies of minutes of 1911.....	85 00
Hudson Observer, printing 500 copies of Mayor's Message.....	40 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of January 24, 1912.....	68 20
To the Committee on Alms:	
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	62 50
Charles Hoffmann, burial of poor, etc	43 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	75 75
George Curcio, conveyance and rail-	

road expenses delivering homeless to Almshouse	2 50
John McGuire, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
L. Larsen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Henry Helfst, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	36 00
L. F. Reilly, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
F. Schoenewede, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Charles F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	7 50

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 14, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. Stephen F. Cooke, Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes, to fill the unexpired term of F. William Bender, deceased; term expiring January 1, 1913.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Larkin moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke be received and the appointment of Mr. Stephen F. Cooke, as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 1, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I have this day been served with a writ of certiorari allowed by Supreme Court Justice Francis J. Swayze, on January 29, 1912, in the matter of Joseph Waddington, prosecutor, vs. The Board of Education of the City of Hoboken, William A. Kerr, Clerk of the Board of Education of the City of Ho-

boken, Board of School Estimate of the City of Hoboken, and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken et als, defendants.

The purpose of said writ is to carry to the Supreme Court for review certain resolutions passed by the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken on December 27, 1911, awarding to Robert J. Rath the contract for the carpenter work; to James A. Marnell the contract for plumbing and gasfitting, and to De Riso Brothers, Inc., for the mason work for the erection of a new school building in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, to be known as School Number 1, and of the contracts executed in pursuance thereof.

This writ is returnable to the Supreme Court on February 12, instant, and is to be argued at the February term of the Supreme Court, which opens February 20, instant.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 14, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I beg to notify your Honorable Body that I received on February 1, from Kissel, Kennicutt & Company, in exchange for school bonds, the sum of \$277,349.17, less deposit of \$5,000, viz.:

Principal of bonds.....	\$262,750 00
Premium	13,613 86
Interest to date.....	985 31
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	\$277,349 17
Deposited to secure same.....	\$5,000 00
Certified check	272,349 17

\$277,349 17

There has been distributed to the School Fund for the purpose of	
High School	\$40,000 00
No. 1 School building.....	150,000 00
No. 1 School site.....	60,000 00
Calumet judgment	12,750 00

\$262,750 00

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES SMITH,
Treasurer.

Communication from Henry Lohmann, Jr., President of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes, in answer to Mr. John Keresey's complaint, embodied in communications to the Mayor and Council, dated September 12, 1911, and January 15, 1912, that we are paying a larger share of the County tax than warranted by the value of our property, was presented, read and received.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of January, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of January, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following application, reported in favor of granting the license:

William Schaak, for concert hall license.

On motion of Councilman Belloff the report was received and the license granted, by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—Councilmen Delaney and Duffy.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	\$11 05
James J. Farrell, 18 days' services to Assessors	54 00
James J. Farrell, 24 days' services to Assessors	72 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	73 00
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at City Hall	24 35
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	8 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.....	8 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	24 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Mayor	18 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	83 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	11 40
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	26 25
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	74 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	80 70
Hudson Observer, publishing \$262,750 school bond ordinance.....	66 42
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of extension of taxes.....	73 80

Hudson Observer, publishing salary ordinances	90 36
Hudson Observer, publishing salary ordinances	81 72
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of January 10 and 16, 1912.....	89 10
Lawrence Pendergast, 23 days' services an janitor of City Hall.....	57 50
James Smith, Treasurer, extra services in parks.....	72 00
James Smith, Treasurer, extra services in parks.....	72 00
James Smith, Treasurer, extra services in parks.....	72 00
James J. Farrell, 18 days service to Board of Assessors.....	54 00
Lawrence Pendergast, janitor service at City Hall	77 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	422 70
Pay roll, cleaning snow.....	237 00
Pay roll, cleaning snow.....	254 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets (snow)....	334 40
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage.....	465 14
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	62 50
Charles Hoffmann, burial of poor, etc	43 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	75 75
George Curcio, conveyance and railroad expenses delivering homeless to Almshouse	2 50
John McGuire, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
L. Larsen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Henry Helfst, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	36 00
L. F. Reilly, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
F. Schoenewede, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Charles F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	7 50

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$4.02, in favor of Edith S. Pollard, being a refund of taxes on chattels paid by her on premises known as 617 Hudson street, as having removed from said premises, and certified to as correct by the Collector of Revenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants in favor of John L. Oest, for the sum of \$38.23, being a refund of taxes paid by him on property known as 130 River street; Morris Kaplan et al, for the sum of \$40.24, being a refund of taxes paid by him on property known as 503-505 Jefferson street; Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, for the sum of \$68.01, being a refund of taxes paid by them on certain property in this city; asid reductions having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation, and certified to as correct by the Collector of Revenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Thursday, February 15, 1912, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday afternoon, February 15, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Rath.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:
I. Weisman, builders' risk insurance on City Hall..... \$8 75
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at City Hall 53 90
The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Ben Benedix, labor at City Hall.....	\$10 00
W. D. Bindewald, repairing hose for Sewer Department	26 00
Fagan Iron Works, one manhole....	5 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole covers, etc.....	30 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	45 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole cover...	10 00
Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., advertising \$202,750 school house ordinance	66 42
Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing salary ordinances.....	172 08
Hudson Observer, binding, etc., 34 copies of minutes of 1911.....	85 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of January 24, 1912.....	68 20
Hudson Observer, printing 500 copies of Mayor's message.....	40 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies for Sewer Department	19 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins...	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins...	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins...	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins...	108 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	51 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	20 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	30 00
Pay roll, extra labor in parks.....	60 00
D. H. Stuhmann, connecting sewer at 557 First street.....	17 28
Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at Cuhreh Square Park	15 27
Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at Hudson Square Park	40 30

James Whalen, building receiving basin at Newark and Bloomfield streets 46 56

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Rath.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,816.14, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of February, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Councilmen Pfugh, Belloff and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,816.14, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of February, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,816.14, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Police Department for the first half month of February, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Rath.

Chairman Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That the representatives of the Public Service Corporation, New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, Postal Telegraph Company and Western Union Telegraph Company be requested to meet with the Mayor, the Corporation Attorney and the Council, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, on Tuesday evening, March 12, 1912, at 8 o'clock, at the Council Chamber, City Hall, to consider the matter of placing the existing overhead wires underground in conduits to be provided therefor, in which said conduits there shall be provided, without cost or expense to the city, accommodation for the wires of the Police and Fire Departments, and reasonable access thereto, as occasion may require, and to consider the particular location of said conduits.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,
McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Larkin,

Luehs and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board
adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, February 28, 1912.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luchs, McFeely and Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Rath and Chairman Anderson.

In the absence of the Chairman, the Clerk stated that the first business in order would be the selection of a temporary Chairman.

Councilman Delaney moved that Councilman Duffy act as temporary Chairman.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the reading of the minutes of the stated session held on February 14, and the adjourned stated session held on February 15, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Communication from the City Clerk of Passaic, N. J., enclosing a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Passaic, requesting this Council to adopt a similar resolution relative to the coinage of three-cent pieces, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Legislation.

Communication from Joseph M. Noonan, Esq., of having been directed to institute proceedings by mandamus against this city to enforce the payment of \$362,538.22 for County taxes for 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries and the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from Tietje & Christ, relative to a petition sent to the Council urging the removal of sidewalk obstructions on the south side of First street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hoboken Civic League, requesting that the Comptroller render to the Mayor on the first of each month an itemized financial statement, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Correction, relative to their annual meeting, to be held at East Orange, N. J., on March 24, 25 and 26, 1912, was presented, read and received.

The following applications were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses: John Pavlosky, Angelo Mongiello, Geo. Kronus, Martin Josephy.

For second-hand dealers' licenses: Jacob Stern, Abraham Isaac, S. Glaser.

For junkman's license: Antonio Giordano.

For truck license: Henry Cordts.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Knickerbocker Trust Co., preparing \$263,550 School Bonds, etc..... \$388 50

James J. Farrell, 25 days' services

to Board of Assessors..... 75 00

J. H. Kruse, insurance on City Hall. 188 80

Wilson Taylor, insurance on City

Hall 187 50

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services

as acting janitor of City Hall 70 00

Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co., repairing safes in Collector's office... 3 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Palace Boarding Stables, boarding

horses for Street Department..... 7 00

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished

Street Department 23 10

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished

Street Department 58 90

Louis Stern, removing dead animals

for quarter ending February 1, 1912 125 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 413 40

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 335 10

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 76 62

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 68 84

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 78 72

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 94 00

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 72 09

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished

Street Department 69 24

Central Contracting Co., removing

ashes and garbage..... 429 36

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, repairing box drains..... 36 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished

Collector of Revenue..... 21 15

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished

City Treasurer..... 12 50

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished

City Clerk..... 18 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished

ed Comptroller	76 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	76 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	17 25
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	60 30
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of February 14 and 15, 1912.....	72 30
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Councilmen Rath and Luehs....	20 50
Oscar Schlichting, one new pencil pointer	8 50
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	79 20
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	13 05
To the Committee on Alms:	
Schmalz Bakery, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
William Disch, burial of poor.....	10 00
William Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
United Aid House, care and board of homeless	28 00
Mrs. E. Davin, care, board, etc., of homeless	5 25
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	13 50
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke, enclosing a petition from taxpayers relative to the dangerous condition of the inundated sunken lots in the upper section of the city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 28, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—The enclosed petition was received by me. I refer same to your Honorable Body for such immediate action as you may deem advisable.

Respectfully,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Cooke was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 28, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I would call your attention to

a theatrical performance recently held in our city which I consider degrading and demoralizing to the community. I would respectfully suggest that in the granting of theatrical licenses that you would discriminate against the showing of the so-called burlesque performances and that you would make that requirement in the granting of all such licenses.

Respectfully yours,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 27, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I beg to advise you that I have collected during this month from the following named corporations for rent of river front property facing Hudson Square Park as per agreement:

Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, \$2,500.

North German Lloyd Steamship Company, \$2,500.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES SMITH,
City Treasurer.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 28, 1912.

The Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I would respectfully request your Honorable Body to have warrants ordered drawn to the order of the Sinking Fund Commissioners in the following amounts, the same as included in the tax budget for 1911-1912:

Cleaning and repairing sewers..	\$3,500 00
Police Department bonds.....	2,400 00
Purchase of Elysian Park.....	1,000 00
Outlet sewer bonds.....	2,000 00
Free Public Library.....	1,000 00
Engine house	1,000 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates, A	6,240 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates, B	1,500 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates, C and D.....	3,000 00
Erection of two engine houses..	1,000 00
Fire House No. 6.....	1,900 00
Funding bonds	2,010 00
Street repairing	2,000 00
Street repairing	1,000 00
Refunded judgment	1,040 00
Funding bonds	645 00
Playground bonds	1,000 00
Funding bonds, due 12/1/40....	3,825 00
Repaving streets	3,125 00

First street sewer.....	2,500 00
School No. 7.....	5,000 00
School No. 8.....	2,800 00
School No. 9.....	4,395 00
School No. 2.....	225 00
High School site.....	2,210 00
High School building.....	5,000 00
Water main bonds.....	2,850 00
Water main bonds.....	660 00
School, City Hall and water, paid	4,500 00
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	\$69,325 00

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES SMITH,

Treasurer.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries and the Corporation Attorney:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 26, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit to you: Honorable Body a communication received from Joseph M. Noonan, Counselor at Law, in reference to the payment of our County taxes for the year 1912.

On February 9, we paid to the County Collector for State School tax in full, \$181,-554.57, and on account of County tax, \$62,-538.22, leaving a balance due on account of the County taxes \$300,000. The County year is from December, 1911, to December, 1912.

I would respectfully request your Honorable Body to take this matter up with the Corporation Counsel at your earliest convenience and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

JAMES SMITH,

City Treasurer.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 28, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I have this day filed with the City Clerk lists of delinquent taxpayers, both real and personal, for the year commencing May 1, 1911, and ending May 1, 1912, for the five wards of the City of Hoboken, as the same appear of record this day.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD BOWES,

Collector of Revenue.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 27, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your

Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 9 a. m. November 1, 1911, and ending 4 p. m. January 31, 1912.

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:	
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest.....	\$20 04
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest.....	100 95
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest.....	464 21
Arrears of taxes of 1909, principal and interest.....	2,577 33
Arrears of taxes of 1910, principal and interest.....	9,807 20
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	\$12,969 73

Assessments:

Madison street, between Fifth and Eighth streets, paving, etc., principal and interest....	180 45
Franchise tax:	
Franchise tax of 1910, principal.	31,785 47
Annual tax:	
Annual tax of 1911.....	1,054,667 88
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	\$1,099,603 53

RECAPITULATION.

Total arerars of taxes.....	\$12,969 73
Total assessments	180 45
Total franchise tax.....	31,785 47
Total annual tax of 1911.....	1,054,667 88
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	\$1,099,603 53

Paid to City Treasurer James

Smith 1,099,603 53

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD BOWES,

Collector of Revenue.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$7,239.07, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of February, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$6,657.95, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,749.38, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$9,407.50, to pay interest on bonded debt due March, 1912, was pre-

sented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Robert J. Rath, as Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 5 of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$8,770.30, in favor of Paul J. Exner Co., contractors on the alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.
Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work in parks	\$50 86
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	386 25
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished parks	20 61
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Hudson Square Park	7 73
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	77 25
P. J. Murray, incidental expenses for Board of Assessors	6 48
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at City Hall	53 90
James Smith, Treasurer, extra labor in parks	60 00
James Smith, Treasurer, extra labor in parks	4 80
John Zang, upkeep of carts	36 15
John Zang, upkeep of carts	44 85
Knickerbocker Trust Co., preparing \$263,550 School Bonds, etc.	388 50
James J. Farrell, 25 days' services to Board of Assessors	75 00
James Cannon, washing towels	6 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	
Palace Boarding Stables, boarding horses for Street Department	7 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	23 10
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	58 90
Louis Stern, removing dead animals for quarter ending February 1, 1912	125 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	413 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets	335 10
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	76 62
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished	

Street Department	68 84
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	78 72
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	94 00
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	72 00
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	69 24
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage	429 36
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains	36 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	79 20
Schmalz Bakery, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
William Disch, burial of poor	10 00
William Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
United Aid House, care and board of homeless	28 00
Mrs. E. Davin, care, board, etc., of homeless	5 20
E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	12 90
R. Clausen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	13 50
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 5 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$8,770.30, in favor of Paul J. Exner Co., contractors on the alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the petition from Thies Biel, requesting a duplicate exempt fireman's certificate, reported in favor of granting the same.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the certificate granted by

the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$8,770.30 in favor of Paul J. Exner Co., contractors on alterations to City Hall, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented February 28, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Luehs, Pfugh and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the report of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, on the list of delinquent taxpayers for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 1911, and ending May 1, 1912, report in favor of directing the City Clerk to return said lists to the Collector of Revenue, with instructions to that officer to collect the same according to law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Saint Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of February, 1911, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That Frederick Steigleiter, architect, be and he is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for alterations to the building known as No. 213 Bloomfield street, and submit same to the Council as soon as possible.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants in favor of the Sinking Fund Commissioners in the following amounts, as included in the tax budget for fiscal year of 1911-1912, to meet Sinking Fund instalments for bonds issued:

Cleaning and repairing sewers..	\$3,500 00
Police Department bonds.....	2,400 00
Purchase of Elysian Park.....	1,000 00
Outlet Sewer bonds.....	2,000 00
Free Public Library.....	1,000 00
Engine house	1,000 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates "A"	6,240 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates "B"	1,500 00
Redemption of Uptown Certificates "C" and "D".....	8,000 00
Erection of two engine houses...	1,000 00
Fire House No. 6.....	1,900 00
Funding Bonds	2,010 00
Street repairing	2,000 00
Street repairing	1,000 00
Refunded judgment	1,040 00
Funding Bonds	645 00
Playground Bonds	1,000 00
Funding Bonds, due 12/1/40....	3,825 00
Repaving streets	3,125 00
First street sewer.....	2,500 00
School No. 7.....	5,000 00
School No. 8.....	2,800 00
School No. 9.....	4,395 00
School No. 2.....	225 00
High School site.....	2,210 00
High School building.....	5,000 00
Water main bonds.....	2,850 00
Water main bonds.....	660 00
School, City Hall and water, paid	4,500 00
	<hr/> \$69,325 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pfugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Luehs, Duffy and Pfugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$9,407.50, to pay interest on bonded debt due March 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$9,407.50, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay

Interest on bonded debt due March 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and LaPointe presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,239.07, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of February, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$7,239.07, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of February, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Pflugh, Luehs and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,657.95, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$6,657.95, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Pflugh, Luehs and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the

Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,749.38, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,749.38, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of February, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50, and also warrants for the first half month of March, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50 (subject to correction), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of February, 1912, to the amount of \$5,412.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely and Pflugh.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, March 13, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Belloff the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on February 28, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Invitation to attend the annual ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, to be held at Pohlmann's Hall, on Saturday, March 16, 1912; also to review the parade from the City Hall, Jersey City, on Sunday, March 17, 1912, at 3 p. m., was presented, read and accepted.

The following applications were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses: Frank Di Martine, Luigi Pastore, Hamilton Varey.

For musicians' licenses: Peter Degan, Karl Wenz, Karl Konrad, Fritz Konrad, Peter Engel.

For truck license: Samuel McCormick.

For circus license: Bergen Amusement Co.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Meyer Scale and Hardware Co., weights for Superintendent of

Weights and Measures..... \$60 00

Daniel J. Gray, incidental expenses. 9 17

Steljes & Steljes, insurance on Engine House No. 1..... 58 75

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue..... 72 00

New York Telephone Co., telephone service 49 22

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Mrs. Mary Gandolfo, ice furnished Ambulance House 33 00

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished police matron 5 15

Thos. F. Devlin, one sign for Judge Lange's desk 3 00

Hoboken Land & Improvement Co., wharfage of public bath..... 20 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing

asphalt streets	15 09
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt streets	82 98
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses for Street Department	91 50
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	10 75
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage.....	465 14
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	15 00
Viaduct Garage, use of automobile for sewer inspection.....	24 00
Levenson Wrecking Co., lumber for box drain	6 65
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Sanborn Map Co., corrections on insurance map for 1919 for Inspector of Buildings	15 00
Sanborn Map Co., corrections on insurance map for 1911 for Inspector of Buildings	10 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Corporation Attorney.....	92 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of February 28, 1912.....	85 80
Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., advertising notice to taxpayers....	57 40
Underwood Typewriter Co., repairing typewriter	50
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed for January 1912.....	59 10
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed for February, 1912.....	43 50
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for February, 1912.....	345 40
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for January, 1912.....	426 63
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for January, 1912.....	1,868 75
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for February, 1912.....	1,868 75
To the Committee on Alms:	
William E. Gilbert, transportation of poor	4 50
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
C. Pruesser, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	22 50
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	12 00

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., March 8, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I have received from the following companies the amounts set opposite their names, being a total of \$290, in full settlement of the damage by fire on the lower floor of the City Hall, which amount I have turned over to the City Treasurer, whose receipt for some is in my possession:

New Jersey Insurance Co.....	\$28 29
Union Insurance Co.....	28 29
Royal Insurance Co.....	28 29
Queen Insurance Co.....	28 29
New Brunswick Insurance Co.....	28 29
Aetna Insurance Co.....	28 29
London, Liverpool & Globe.....	28 29
Phoenix of London.....	16 97
California Insurance Co.....	75 00

\$290 00

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., March 4, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The case of Samuel Naumann, prosecutor, vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken et al, defendants, which was submitted to the New Jersey Supreme Court for determination, was decided at this February term of said Court. The prosecutor sued out a writ of certiorari bringing up to the Court for review section 29 of the Building Code of the City of Hoboken, as amended in May, 1911. The prosecutor in said proceeding urged the Court to declare said section void and to set same aside. Four reasons were assigned by the prosecutor as to why, in his opinion, the said ordinance should be set aside. The Court has decided said matter adverse to the petitioner and in favor of the city. Annexed hereto is a copy of the opinion of the Court relating to said matter.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of street opening fees for the month of February, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of February, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of February, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,316.17, to pay

salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of March, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of \$603.37, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Martin Cooke, as Mayor.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Richard Bowes, distributing tax bills	\$94 10
Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue.....	72 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	76 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	18 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller.....	70 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller.....	60 30
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.....	21 15
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Treasurer.....	12 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Councilmen Luehs and Rath....	20 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	17 25
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of February 14 and 15, 1912..	72 30
Oscar Schlichting, one new pencil pointer.....	8 50
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses for Street Department.....	91 50
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department.....	10 75
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage.....	465 14
William E. Gilbert, transportation of poor.....	4 50
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor.....	26 00
C. Pruesser, groceries furnished the poor.....	9 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries, furnished the poor.....	15 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor.....	22 50

N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the following resolution, passed by the Council February 28, 1912, be and the same is hereby rescinded, reconsidered, set aside and for nothing holden:

Resolved, That Frederick Steigleiter, architect, be and he is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for alterations to the building known as 213 Bloomfield street, and submit same to the Council as soon as possible.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Belloff, Pflugh and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,315.17, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of March, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,315.17, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of March, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs, Pflugh and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$603.37, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$603.37,

in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to notify all city officers requiring supplies from the city, to call at the office of the City Clerk, there to make out requisitions for said supplies, which is to be signed by the proper committee, and the City Clerk there to make out the proper order of purchase as directed by the committee.

The bills are then to be audited and vouchered by the Comptroller and returned to the City Clerk to be presented to the Council as now directed by law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Whereas, The first and second sections of the Fourteenth street viaduct are completed and finished, and if the same were opened to travel, great benefit would result to the citizens of our city; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken do respectfully request the Honorable the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Hudson to open said first and second sections of the Fourteenth street viaduct at the earliest possible time.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to notify the Viaduct Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Hudson County to meet with the Committee of the Whole of the Council on Tuesday evening, March 26, 1912, at the City Hall, Hoboken, N. J., at 8 o'clock, to take what action as may be necessary to remedy the

nuisance caused by the fall of water from said viaduct at Fourteenth street and Willow avenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe and Rath.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, March 20, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman, Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, March 20, 1912.

Present—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luhrs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, March 27, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pfäugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on March 13, and the adjourned stated session held on March 20, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Petition from business men on Washington street, above Fourth street, protesting against having the Great White Way only to Fourth street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, enclosing a claim for \$216.87 for services in the matter of \$262,500 school bonds, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the New York Telephone Company, enclosing a map of subways of said company in the City of Hoboken, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Cabot Manufacturing Co., of 1412 to 1428 Adams street, relative to the streets and building in that vicinity are flooded with water, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Communication from John Keresey, relative to over assessments paid to the County for the past five years, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The following petition for licenses were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For junk dealer's license: Leon Lewis.

For musicians' licenses: Emil Geib, Heinrich Hess, John Schneider, Peter Greilach.

For hack license: Andrew Serventi (2).

For moving picture licenses: Isaac Schneiwies, Philip Gottlieb.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Horace L. Allen, incidental expenses from February 21, 1910, to March 26, 1912 \$162 42

Charles A. Kingsland, insurance on Engine House No. 1 94 00

James J. Farrell, 26 days' services to Board of Assessors 78 00

Carey Bros., insurance on polling booths	19 44
Charles A. Kingsland, builders' risk insurance on City Hall.....	17 50
John J. Fallon, incidental expenses from December 12, 1911, to March 7, 1912	43 18
Louis S. Fugazzi, insurance on Engine Houses Nos. 2 and 6 and Ambulance House	83 50
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:	
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	128 75
George Pinner, glass furnished Hudson Square Park.....	2 00
Frank Becht, Jr., attending clock in City Hall tower.....	10 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 27 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall James Cannon, washing towels.....	67 50
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Police Headquarters	8 21
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Second Precinct	18 85
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	77 25
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished parks	22 20
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished City Prison Keeper.....	43 50
Mrs. Mary Gandolfo, ice furnished Ambulance House	16 25
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement	28 04
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage.....	465 14
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	442 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	352 80
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	362 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	439 80
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	50 50
Charles Hvass & Co., one new plow for Street Department.....	300 00
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	77 81
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	69 77
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	80 07
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished Street Department	77 42
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	76 90
Estate of M. Brock, salt supplied Street Department	3 00
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished	

Street Department	65 32
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning box drains.....	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	49 50
Pay roll, repairing box drains.....	20 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	62 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	67 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk.....	53 25
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	4 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	7 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of March 1 and 20, 1912.....	50 30
Hudson Dispatch, printing briefs....	44 05
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	68 10
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	8 75
To the Committee on Alms:	
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	45 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Braun & Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
L. Gascard, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., March 25, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I advise you that the New Jersey Supreme Court, in the case of George Gonzales, prosecutor, vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken et al, respondents, on March 22, 1912, determined that the ordinance passed December 27, 1911, fixing the annual salary of the Mayor of the City of Hoboken at the sum of \$4,000, must be set aside, for the reason that the Council was without power to pass the ordinance in

question. The Court says: "The city charter as amended fixes the salary at \$1,000 per annum." P. L. 1872, p. 1113.

Subsequently the Legislature, by an act relative to cities of the second class, authorized city councils of certain cities of that class to increase the annual salary of the Mayor to a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars. P. L. 1891, p. 403.

In pursuance thereof, in 1891, the City Council of Hoboken did increase the annual salary of the Mayor thereof to \$2,000.

We have not found any legislation which applies to the City of Hoboken whereby the amount thus limited can be exceeded.

The result is that the ordinance in question must be set aside, with costs.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,538.07, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of March, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,999.77, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of March, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,936.88, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of April, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$30,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$1,700, to pay interest on bonded debt due April 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 6 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$5,776.60, in favor of Jaul J. Exner Co., contractors on the alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Bond of Leon Lewis, as junk dealer, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of bonds of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, in the aggregate sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000), to be known as "Special Tax Arrearage Bonds," and pro-

viding for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Horace L. Allen, incidental expenses from February 21, 1910, to March 26, 1912	\$162 42
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	128 75
George Pinner, glass furnished Hudson Square Park	2 00
Frank Becht, Jr., attending clock in City Hall tower	10 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 27 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	67 50
James Cannon, washing towels	6 00
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement	28 04
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage	465 14
Pay roll, cleaning streets	442 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	352 80
Pay roll, cleaning streets	362 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets	439 80
Pay roll, repairing streets	50 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning box drains	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins ..	108 00
Pay roll, repairing box drains	49 50
Pay roll, repairing box drains	20 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	68 10
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	8 75
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	45 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	24 00

E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Braun & Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
L. Gascard, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	13 05
Thos. F. Devlin, two signs for Council	5 00
Thos. F. Devlin, one sign for Judge Lange's desk	3 00
Mrs. Mary Gandolfo, ice furnished Ambulance House	33 00
Edward Hoerd, supplies furnished Second Precinct	22 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of public bath for November, 1911.	20 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of public bath for December, 1911.	20 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of public bath for January, 1912..	20 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of public bath for February, 1912.	20 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Corporation Attorney	92 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of February 28, 1912	85 80
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished police matron	5 15
Viaduct Garage, use of automobile for sewer inspection	24 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 6, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$5,776.60, in favor of Paul J. Exner Co., contractors on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said bonds:

Martin Cooke, as Mayor.

James Smith, as City Treasurer.

Robert J. Rath, as Sinking Fund Commissioner.

John J. Fallon, as Corporation Attorney.

Antonio Giordano, as junkman.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendations adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Delaney, Luehs, Pflugh, McFeely, Rath, Larkin and Chairman Anderson presented the following:

Whereas, The patrons of the Hoboken Ferry Company, residents of this city, are seeking to obtain the issuance to the public by said ferry company of monthly ferry tickets, at the rate of one dollar (\$1), to be used on week days only, which concession we trust the Hoboken Ferry Company or its lessees will grant; therefore be it

Resolved, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, that we do request said Hoboken Ferry Company, or its lessees operating said ferries, to examine into the request of such patrons and to grant the same, and the Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to said company.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Whereas, Much complaint has been made of the sewerage condition now and heretofore existing in the northwest part of the City of Hoboken, due to the insufficient and inadequate drains and outlets; and

Whereas, The recent rains and storms manifested more than ever heretofore such inadequate condition, and the floods caused thereby on the various properties north of Fourteenth street, not only gave cause to the property owners in said vicinity to justly complain against a furtherance of said condition, but necessitated several business concerns engaged in manufacturing business in said vicinity to close up their business establishments because of their inability to cope with said conditions of flood; and

Whereas, The Councilmen representing the Fifth Ward of the city have repeatedly called attention to the conditions complained of, and have insisted that adequate relief should be forthwith afforded to said locality; and

Whereas, The Corporation Attorney has advised that in order to expend the moneys which will be required to enable the adequate relief to be afforded to the property owners and business people in the vicinity aforesaid, an ordinance should be prepared and passed,

providing for such relief and expenditure of money;

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to advise the Council at its next regular meeting of the means whereby the city may grant adequate relief in the premises, and if he deems it necessary that an ordinance be passed to effectuate such purpose and to advertise for bids therefor, that he prepare and submit such ordinance at the next regular meeting of the Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$5,776.60, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, on the improvement of City Hall, alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, City Surveyors, presented March 27, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law in the Daily Banker, The Bond Buyer, The Commercial and Financial Chronicle for two insertions, and the Hudson Observer for five insertions, for proposals for the purchase of \$350,000 Special Tax Arrearage Bonds of the City of Hoboken, payable ten years from April 1, 1912, and bearing interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of April and October in each year.

Said bonds to be coupon bonds, with the privilege of registration, of the denomination of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars each each.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$1,700, to pay interest on bonded debt due April 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the

Interest Fund for the sum of \$1,700, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due April 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Delaney and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$30,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the School Fund for the sum of \$30,000, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and LaPointe presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,538.07, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half-month of March, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,538.07, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half-month of March, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Delaney, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$7,999.77, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of March, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$7,999.77, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of

the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of March, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Delaney, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,936.88, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of April, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,936.88, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of April, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Saint Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of March, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to borrow for and in behalf of the city by temporary loan the sum of six thousand and fifty-six dollars and fifteen cents (\$6,056.15) to defray current obligations of the city.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw two warrants for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in favor of Charles Hvass & Company, for to

pay for a patent snow plow purchased for the Street Department, and the Comptroller is hereby directed to charge one of said warrants to the Street Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath and Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of March, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50; also warrants for the first half month of April, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50, (subject to corrections), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh,

Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath and Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of March, 1912, to the amount of \$5,412.42; also warrants for the quarter ending March, 31, 1912, to the amount of \$4,375, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, April 10, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Belloff the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on March 27, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the \$350,000 Special Tax Arrearage 5% Bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

From Douglas Fenwick & Co.:

For the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds of the City of Hoboken, N. J., we will pay you 105.391 and accrued interest to delivery.

From A. H. Venner & Co.:

For the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds of the City of Hoboken, we will pay you \$361.175.50 and interest which may accrue on said bonds to the time of delivery.

From the Second National Bank of Hoboken:

We will pay \$369.145 and accrued interest for \$350,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., tax arrearage 5% bonds.

From John D. Everitt & Co.:

We will purchase from the City of Hoboken \$350,000 ten-year bonds, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, paying \$366.187.50 and accrued interest from date of bonds to day of delivery.

From A. B. Leach & Co.:

For the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds of the City of Hoboken, we will pay \$364.598.50 and interest which may accrue on said bonds to the time of delivery.

From Bond & Goodwin:

For \$350,000 5% bonds of the City of Hoboken, we will pay 106 and accrued interest.

From Adams & Co.:

For the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds of the City of Hoboken, N. J., dated April 1, 1912, and maturing April 1, 1912, bearing interest at 5%, payable semi-annually, we will pay a price of 105%, that is to say, \$105.75 per \$100 of bonds, plus accrued interest to date of delivery.

From Harris, Forbes & Co.:

For the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds of the City of Hoboken, dated April 1, 1912, maturing April 1, 1922, without option of prior payment, bearing a rate of interest at 5%, payable semi-annually, we will pay \$372.158.50 and accrued interest to date of delivery.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely, Pflugh and Rath.

The following report was presented, read and received:

April 10, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the several bids received at this meeting for the purchase of \$350,000 Special Tax Arrearage Bonds, as advertised for, respectfully report that we have carefully examined the said bids and find that the proposal or bid of Harris, Forbes and Company, to wit: \$372.158.50, is the highest and most advantageous for the city, and in the judgment of your Committee it is in the best interests of the city to accept the same.

ROBERT J. RATH,

OTTO C. LUEHS,

PATRICK H. DUFFY,

Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, Due public notice was given of a resolution of the Common Council, passed on the 27th day of March, 1912, to the effect that sealed proposals for the purchase of bonds of the City of Hoboken, to be known as "Special Tax Arrearage Bonds," in the amount of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) to run for a period of ten years from the date of issue, registered or coupon, at the option of the bidder, would be received at the regular meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday, April 10, 1912, at four o'clock P. M.; and

Whereas, The several bids for said bonds have been duly considered, and the bid of Harris, Forbes and Company, to wit: \$372.158.50, being the highest and most advantageous; and

Whereas, It is deemed advisable and in the best interests of the City of Hoboken to accept said bid of Harris, Forbes and Company;

Resolved, That the aforesaid bid of Harris,

Forbes and Company, to wit: \$372,158.50, for the aforesaid bonds, be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said bonds be and the same are hereby awarded to Harris, Forbes and Company, at their said bid of \$372,158.50 and accrued interest, and the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds when duly executed to said Harris, Forbes and Company, on the receipt of the amount of their bid therefor an accrued interest; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to the unsuccessful bidders their certified checks accompanying their bids for the purchase of said Special Tax Arrearage Bonds.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely, Pfugb and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the Board took a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pfugb.

Petition from residents and property owners, requesting the Council to grant unto Francis Hartzelle, of 308 Third street, a moving picture license at the corner of First and Harrison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Communication from the American Civic Alliance of New York City, requesting the Mayor to appoint a committee of five or more citizens to consider the interest of the public as consumers of coal throughout the crisis, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Civil Service Commission of New Jersey, ascertaining if it is necessary to readjust the election districts in this city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Communication from S. A. Besson, attorney for executors of August Grassmann, deceased, enclosing a copy of the will of August Grassmann, bequeathing to the Mayor and Council the sum of \$1,000, provided a sufficient amount of money is raised to erect an inland public bath, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Petition from Henry Coráts, agent for M. E. H. Reed, requesting a refund of \$4.02 on

taxes paid by him on property known as block No. 179, lot No. 1, street No. 303 Park avenue, said deduction having been granted by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:
Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue \$72 00
N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service 38 77

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James A. Marnell, plumbing repairs at Elysian Park 48 75
Samuel Stanton, repairs at Church Square Park 73 80
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Park Police 53 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall 10 00
James A. Marnell, repairs at Second Precinct 28 10
Hoboken Land and Impt. Co., wharfage of Public Bath, for march, 1912 20 00
Gus. E. Hoehle, repairs at Second Precinct 11 90
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Janitor of City Hall 21 25
William Hammell, carpenter work at Ambulance House 12 76
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs, etc., for Street Department 52 50
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage 465 14
To the Committee on Sewers:
W. D. Bindewald, 15 gallons of oil for Street Department 9 75
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of March 27, 1912 78 70
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for \$350,000 Tax Arrearage Bonds 36 54
The Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., printing briefs 10 50
To the Committee on Alms:
William Kamlah, medical supplies furnished Poormaster 169 00
United Aid Home, care of homeless. A. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
John J. Byrnes, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the

poor 21 00
 William L. Draffin, groceries furnished the poor 36 00
 The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:

Hoboken, N. J., April 8, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—With reference to the matter of the Fifteenth street sewer, and the resolution relating thereto adopted at the previous session of your Honorable Body, I would state that I have ascertained that on June 8, 1910, an ordinance was passed to provide for the issuance of \$50,000 bonds to rebuild sewers, and that a part of said moneys are now available, which you may rebuild the sewerinabove mentioned.

The specifications for the rebuilding of said sewer should be prepared by such engineer as you may designate to have charge of said work, and when such specifications are filed with the City Clerk, you may advertise for proposals therefor, to be submitted to you and award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
 Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to again call your attention to the several letters which I wrote to your Honorable Body, requesting instructions as to the further prosecution of the several suits of the city against Michael H. Murphy et als. I wrote to you last with reference to said matter under date of December 13, 1911, and I respectfully refer you thereto.

I request that you authorize me to employ an expert accountant, preferably Mr. Eugene Shinn, to examine the books and accounts relating to the matters involved in said suit. The Tax Commissioners should be requested to appropriate sufficient moneys to defray the costs and expenses to be incurred in the matter of said suits.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
 Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., April 10, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Upon application of Elizabeth

Carey, I have apportioned subject to your approval, the property known as lots 28 and 29, in block 84, for taxes of 1910 as follows:
 Plit 35x100 at\$1,700 00
 Plot 15x100 at 700 00

Total\$2,400 00

Respectfully submitted,
 FREDERICK KAUFMANN,
 Comptroller.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., April 10, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—The Board of Tax Commissioners have directed me to inform you that they meet on the second and fourth Fridays in each month, and would be pleased to consider any suggestions you may have to make to them.

Very respectfully yours,
 JOHN A. CROSS,
 Secretary.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening fees and sewer tapping fees for the month of March, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of March, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of March, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,298.52, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of April, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Certificate No. 7 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for \$2,292, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, for services as architects on the alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Flugh.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	\$20 95
James J. Farrell, 26 days' services as Clerk to Board of Assessors...	78 00
Daniel J. Gray, incidental expenses	9 17
The Adder Machine Co., one Wales adding machine	350 00
Hudson Dispatch, printing brief....	44 05
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	67 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	62 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of March 13 and 20, 1912....	50 30
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	4 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	7 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing repairs at Elysian Park	48 75
Samuel Stanton, repairs at Church Square Park	73 80
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs, etc., for Street Department	52 50
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage	465 14
United Aid Home, care of homeless.	10 00
A. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
John J. Byrnes, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
William L. Draffin, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:	
Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.	
Nays—None.	
Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflogh.	
The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 7, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for \$2,292, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, for services as architects on the alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.	
On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.	
The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following petition, reported in favor of granting the license:	
Bergen Amusement Co., for circus license.	
On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the recommendation	

adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflogh.

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of bonds of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, in the aggregate sum of three hundred and fifty thousand (\$350,000) dollars, to be known as "Special Tax Arrearage Bonds," and providing for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on March 27, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflogh.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of licenses to open, keep or carry on employment agencies in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflogh.

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of bonds of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, in the aggregate sum of three hundred and fifty thousand (\$350,000) dollars, to be known as "Special Tax Arrearage Bonds," and providing for the payment of the principal and interest thereon, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on March 27, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, LaPointe and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,298.52, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of April, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,298.52, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of April, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen Duffy and Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$2,292 in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, Architects, on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, Architects, presented April 10, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That Max Beyer, architect, be and he is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the improvement of the toilets in Hudson and Church Square Parks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of ten dollars (\$10) for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the application of Elizabeth Carey to have apportioned the property known as lots 28 and 29, block 84, for taxes of 1910, the same having been apportioned by Comptroller Frederick Kaufmann;

Be it resolved, That the application of Elizabeth Carey, to have apportioned the property known as lots 28 and 29, block 84, for taxes of 1910, as follows:

Plot 35x100	\$1,700 00
Plot 15x100	700 00

Total	\$2,400 00
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and that the Collector of Revenue be and he is hereby directed to make said apportionment in accordance with that submitted to the Council by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, April 17, 1912, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the Board adjourn.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, April 17, 1912.

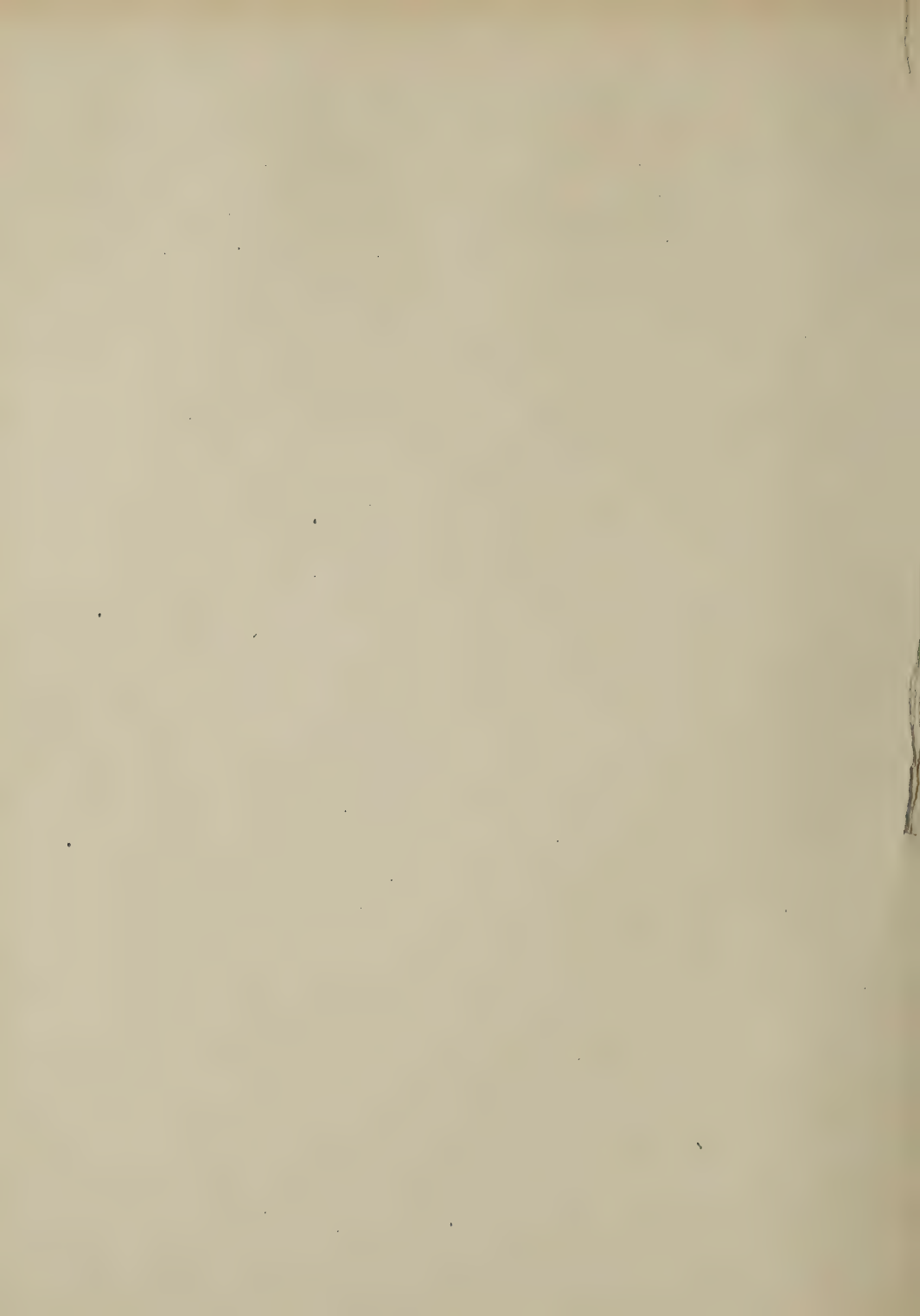
Present—None.

Absent — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN

City Clerk.



COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, April 24, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

On motion of Councilman Belloff the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on April 10, and the adjourned stated session held on April 17, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Invitation to attend the fourth annual picnic of the Thomas J. Kehoe Association, to be held at Grand View Park, on Saturday, May 4, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Petition from John Griffin, Attorney, in re-application of Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, for reduction of assessment for improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Guaranty and Surety Company of Newark, N. J., requesting the return of their bond of \$10,000, executed for the Hudson Contracting Company, for the removal of ashes and garbage, who had failed to receive said contract, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Public Service Electric Company, relative to constructing subways and underground service connections for a system of underground distribution on certain streets in this city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from V. A., Co. D, Ninth Regiment, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Hudson Consumers Ice Company, applying for permission to sink a well at Thirteenth and Monroe streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following petitions for licenses were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddler's license—Andrew Belik.

For hack licenses: Rudolf von Ende, Edward Fitzgerald.

For truck licenses: F. W. Reeves, Wm. Patterson & Son, Farr Trucking Co. (2).

For second-hand licenses: Jacob Stern, Benjamin Pearlman.

For porter's license: Frederick A. G. Schultze.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

James J. Farrell, 26 days' services as Clerk to Board of Assessors.... \$78 00

P. J. Murray, incidental expenses... 3 20

James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, certified copies of Laws of 1912..... 18 00

Wilson Taylor, insurance on Free Public Library buildings..... 100 00

Leo Mayer, expert services making examinations of lands, etc..... 50 00

Julius H. Kruse, expert services making examinations of lands, etc 50 00

Julius H. Kruse, insurance on city stable 120 00

Carey Bros., insurance on city stable 32 00

Meyer Scale & Hardware Co., one portable sealing outfit..... 110 00

Fred J. Stuhr, services rendered in deciding cases after term expired. 300 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished parks 1 40

Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall 70 00

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

James A. Marnell, plumbing repairs at Police Headquarters..... 14 85

James A. Marnell, plumbing repairs at ambulance house 26 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage..... 465 14

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 449 40

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 527 70

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 442 80

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 32 50

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 404 40

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 32 50

Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable 76 97

Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished Street Department 76 98

Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass brooms 94 50

Dr. Charles C. Schloemer, professional services 50 00

Dr. Charles C. Schloemer, professional services 62 25

Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 78 00

Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 52 00

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Street Department	38 00
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	100 50
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	75 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	89 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	45 00
James A. Marnell, putting in sewer connection	133 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Dickson Bros., two granite basin heads and sills	76 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 95
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	22 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	33 75
Dickson Bros., one basin head.....	36 00
Ernest W. Hill, upkeep of carts.....	52 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department.....	91 75
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Mildred Armstrong, typewriting for Corporation Attorney	16 30
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	39 50
Hudson Observer, publishing \$300,000 Special Tax Arrearage Bonds.....	40 14
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of April 10 and 17, 1912.....	73 80
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Overseer of Poor.....	23 25
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	7 35
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	89 40
To the Committee on Alms:	
Albert S. Schiller, care of homeless.	12 00
James P. Markus, conveying homeless to Almshouse.....	2 00
Peter Planert, care of homeless.....	5 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the	

poor	6 00
Fred Schwanewede, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
J. Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Henry F. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor.....	36 00
John Leib, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	9 00

The following communication was presented, read and received: "

Hoboken, N. J., April 23, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The Board of Tax Commissioners invite your Honorable Body to accompany them on an inspection of the streets, sewers and playgrounds.

They will meet at the City Hall on Thursday, April 25, 1912, at one p. m.

Respectfully,

JOHN A. CROSS, Secretary.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,233.42, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of April, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,931.08, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of April, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,936.86, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of May, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$50,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$11,260.21, to pay interest on bonded debt due May 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of \$354.75, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of \$16.20, being the balance of their appropriation for 1911-1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 8 from Schneider & Dieffen-

bach, architects, for the sum of \$5,376.25, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractors on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Plans and specifications for improvements to the Public Comfort Stations in Church Square and Hudson Square Parks, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of licenses to open, keep or carry on employment agencies in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on April 10, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of licenses to open, keep or carry on employment agencies in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on April 10, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Larkin, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue..... 72 00

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Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Second Precinct	11 08
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at ambulance house	12 76
Gus E. Hoehle, repairs at Second Precinct	11 90
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of public bath for March, 1912....	20 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall.....	10 00
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for January, 1912.....	1,868 75
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for February, 1912.....	1,868 75
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for January, 1912	426 63
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for February, 1912.....	345 40
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed for January, 1912.....	59 10
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed for February, 1912.....	43 50
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Police Headquarters	8 21
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Second Precinct	18 85
James J. Farrell, 26 days' services as Clerk to Board of Assessors....	\$78 00
P. J. Murray, incidental expenses...	3 20
James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, certified copies of Laws of 1912.....	18 00
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished parks	1 40
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On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugl, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$244.20, in favor of Henry Waddington, for services as contractor on the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$168.90, in favor of Henry Waddington, for services as contractor on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Ferry and Third streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$192.80, in favor of Henry Waddington, for services as contractor on the repaving of

Willow avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets; Clinton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, and Seventh street, between Clinton street and Willo wavenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$100.50, in favor of Henry Waddington, for services as contractor on the repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$85.80, in favor of Henry Waddington, for services as contractor on the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 8 from Schnelder and Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$5,376.25, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractors on the alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the petition from residents and property owners, requesting the Council to grant unto Francis Hartzelle, of 308 Third street, a moving picture license at the corner of First and Harrison streets, reported in favor of rejecting the said application.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugl, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the improvement of the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park and Hudson Square Park, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Max J. Beyer, architect, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote.

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pfugl, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Whereas, The Public Service Electric Company have filed maps and have petitioned the Council for permits to construct subways or ducts and manholes for a system of underground distribution of their current and wires; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby directed to issue permits to the Public Service Electric Company for the following streets: From its station on Bloomfield street to Fourteenth street; on Fourteenth street from Willow avenue to Hudson street; on Washington street, from Fourteenth street to Ferry street; and on Newark street from Washington street to River street; and be it further

Resolved, That the subways or ducts, manholes, etc., are to be built in accordance with the ordinance granting permission to the Hudson Electric Light Company by the City of Hoboken, passed March 24, 1897, and under the supervision of the Committee on Streets and Assessments of this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a final warrant for \$168.90 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Ferry and Third streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented Dec. 20, 1911, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a final warrant for \$244.20 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented Dec. 20, 1911, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a final warrant for \$192.80 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets; Clinton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets; Seventh street, between Willow avenue and Clinton street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 20, 1911, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a final warrant for \$85.80, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 20, 1911, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a final warrant for \$100.50 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 20, 1911, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$5,376.25 in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, Architects, presented April 24, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$27 in favor of Emil Lattmann, being a refund for transfer of retail liquor license paid by him on February 24, 1912, on premises 215 First street, said transfer having been rejected by the Board of Excise Commissioners on April 8, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkia, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The undersigned Committee on Finance and salaries begs leave to report:

That they have carefully examined into the facts set forth in the petition of The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, a body corporate, and find that the facts with respect to the levying of the assessment on said property are as stated in said petition, and that the question of the validity of said assessment is in litigation, as stated therein; and that on March 14th, 1910, the petitioner paid to the Collector of Revenue of the City of Hoboken the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) on account of said assessment, with interest; and that in view of all the circumstances this committee believes that it would be eminently fair and to the best interests of the city that the Council should accept the sum of twenty-two hundred and forty-seven and 41-100 dollars in full settlement of the balances remaining unpaid of said assessment, including interest and penalties, if any, and therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution herto annexed;

Whereas, The Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, a body corporate, presented its petition to the Council of the City of Hoboken, setting forth and alleging, among other things, that it is the owner of lands in the City of Hoboken, in the County of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, known as lots seventeen (17) to thirty-two (32), both inclusive, in block numbered (90), bounded by Adams, Eighth and Ninth streets, as shown on the assessment map for the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, Hoboken, Hudson County, N. J., 1907, T. H. McCann, City Surveyor; that the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken improved said Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, by sewerage, grading, paving, curbing and flagging, and assessed the said property as follows:

Sewer	\$2,224.00
Grading	880.00
Paving	1,100.00
Curbing	240.00
Flagging	272.00
Incidentals	1,020.64

Total \$5,736.64

Which assessment was confirmed by this Council on November 13th, 1907, and the resolution of confirmation approved November 14th, 1907; that the said company did not have actual notice of the proceedings touching said assessments, did not appear before the Assessment Commissioners, and was not heard on the assessment to be charged against its property, and that it procured from Mr. Justice Swayze a writ of certiorari removing all the proceedings touching said improvement into the Supreme Court, where the same is now pending and undetermined, and that it is desirous of paying its due share of said assessment, and that it paid, pursuant to the order of said Justice, on the 14th day of March, 1910, the sum of \$3,000, with \$489.23 interest thereon, which sum it admitted was fairly due from it to the city by reason of said improvement, and claiming that the assessment as levied was excessive, and without waiving any of its rights it is willing to pay the additional sum of \$1,000 with interest, which with the payment theretofore made will amount to \$4,000 and interest, and praying that this Council, pursuant to the statute, make a revision, alteration, adjustment and settlement of said taxes remaining unpaid, with interest, and the penalties, if any, which may have accrued thereon, and to fix and determine an amount to be accepted by the City of Hoboken in full satisfaction thereof; and upon reading the report of the Committee of this Council on Finance and Salaries, be it

Resolved, That this Council does hereby revise, alter, adjust and make settlement of the said assessment with interest and the penalties, if any, which have accrued thereon, and fixes and determines the amount of twenty-two hundred and forty-seven and 41-100 dollars (\$2,247.41-100) to be accepted by the City of Hoboken in full satisfaction of the balance remaining unpaid on said assessment, and the Collector of Revenue of the City of Hoboken is hereby authorized and directed to receive said sum of \$2,247.42, and make and deliver to the person paying the same a receipt therefor, and forthwith cancel the record of such assessment, together with interest and penalties which may have accrued thereon, whereupon the same shall cease to be a lien on the lands and real estate above mentioned.

ROBERT J. RATH,
OTTO LUEHS,
P. H. DUFFY.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500) dollars, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of April, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$11,260.21, to pay interest on bonded debt due May 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$11,260.21, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due May 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$354.75, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$354.75, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh,

Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$16.20, being the balance of their appropriation for 1911-1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$16.20, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$50,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the School Fund for the sum of \$50,000, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Luehs, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,931.08, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of April, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$7,931.08, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer and Richard Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of April, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Luehs, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,936.86, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of May, 1912, repore the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,936.86, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of May, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,233.42, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of April, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,233.42, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of April, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and

he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employes for salaries for the last half month of April, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50; also warrants for the first half month of May, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50 (subject to corerctions), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employes for salaries for the month of April, 1912, to the amount of \$5,413.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Duffy moved that the Council go on recodr as being heartily in favor of a smaller Board of Freeholders, as provided in the Fielder act.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, May 1, 1912, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, May 1, 1912.

Present—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, May 8, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugb, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on April 24, and the adjourned stated session held on May 1, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposal for the improvement to the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From James Whalen:

I will contract to furnish and erect all material to complete Comfort Station at Church Square Park, Hoboken, N. J., for the following price or prices: \$2,393.

The following proposal for the improvement to the Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From James Whalen:

I will contract to furnish and erect all material to complete Comfort Station at Hudson Square Park for the following price or prices: For the sum of \$2,040.

Invitation from the Joint Memorial Committee of the G. A. R., to the various officials to review the parade on Memorial Day, at the City Hall, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from Julius H. Kruse, to offer for sale for \$3,600 the two building lots situate at 309-311 Jackson street; also to offer for sale for \$4,200 the two building lots situate at 116-118 Jackson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following petitions were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For junk license: Lehman Bros.

For second-hand license: Harris Greenberg.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

John J. Fallon, Corporation Attorney,
incidental expenses \$38 49

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Col-
lector of Revenue 72 00

N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service	41 85
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:	
J. M. Patterson, one case of toilet paper	6 00
Hoboken Land and Improvement Co., wharfage of public bath for April, 1912	20 00
Francis J. Ross, one water cooler for Police Headquarters	4 95
Otto Hottendorf, ice furnished City Hall	16 80
Otto Hottendorf, ice furnished City Hall	10 20
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	51 50
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Second Precinct	21 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	51 85
James A. Marnell, repairs at Elysian Park	54 75
Alex. McCabe, installing electric lights in Collector's office	14 20
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage	480 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	56 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	480 60
Pay roll, cleaning streets	503 30
Pay roll, repairing streets	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	100 50
Mrs. G. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	57 85
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	7 50
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses for Street Department	38 75
John Zang, (repairs for Street Department	42 40
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning basins	108 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drains	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning basins	108 00
James A. Marnell, repairing sewer in River street	9 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rigs and covers	20 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	35 00
John Zang, repairing carts for Sewer Department	4 40
Est. of H. Kortlang, lumber furnished Sewer Department	5 48
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	107 50

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk, etc.....	63 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Treasurer.....	7 20
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court.....	13 50
Oscar Schlichting, one pencil pointer	8 50
Hudson Observer, publishing employment agency ordinance.....	7 38
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for Public Comfort Station in Hudson and Church Square Parks	22 68
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of April 24 and May 1, 1912.....	115 20
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting, etc., for April, 1912.....	1,871 25
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for March, 1912.....	1,868 75
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplies public buildings for March, 1912.....	339 76
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for April, 1912.....	315 30
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for March, 1912	46 50
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for April, 1912.	17 00
To the Committee on Licenses:	
Thomas Sharkey, 100 license vendor badges	48 00
Thomas Sharkey, 150 miscellaneous license badges	72 00
To the Committee on Alms:	
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished poor.	28 13
John J. Byrnes, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fine & Friedman, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
L. Larsen, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
S. Cademator, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
The following report was presented, read and received:	

Hoboken, N. J., May 8, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith most respectfully report to your Honorable Body that from the fiscal year beginning May 1, 1911, and ending May 6, 1912, I have collected for excise liquor license fees, issued by the Board of Excise Commissioners, the sum of \$116,448.26; for miscellaneous license fees, issued by the Mayor and Council, the sum of \$4,725; for license badges for preceding year, the sum of

\$95.50; for moneys received from insurance companies for damage by fire in lower floor of City Hall, the sum of \$290, making in all a total of \$121,558.76, all of which I have turned over to Mr. James Smith, City Treasurer, whose receipts for same are in my possession, and certified to as correct on my books by the Comptroller.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., May 8, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 9 a. m. February 1, 1912, and ending 12 m. May 6, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:	
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest.....	\$242 43
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest.....	501 46
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest.....	681 35
Arrears of taxes of 1909, principal and interest.....	1,629 04
Arrears of taxes of 1910, principal and interest.....	4,303 84
Arrears of taxes of 1911, principal and interest.....	46,389 02
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	\$53,747 14
Interest from First National Bank on daily balances.....	83 80
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	\$53,830 94

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of taxes.....	\$53,747 14
Total interest	83 80
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	\$53,830 94
Paid to City Treasurer James Smith	53,830 94

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., May 8, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the fiscal year commencing 12 m. May 1, 1911, to 12 m. May 6, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:	
Arrears of taxes of 1905, principal and interest.....	\$197 01
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest.....	478 90
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest.....	1,248 47
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest.....	2,123 63
Arrears of taxes of 1909, principal and interest.....	10,767 56
Arrears of taxes of 1910, principal and interest.....	72,554 09
Arrears of taxes of 1911, principal and interest.....	46,389 02
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	\$133,758 68

Annual tax:	
Annual tax of 1911, principal...	1,054,667 88
Franchise tax:	
Franchise tax of 1910, principal.	31,785 47
Interest:	
Interest from First National Bank on daily balances.....	138 54
Assessments:	
Madison street improvement, paving, etc., between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, principal and interest	188 55
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Total	\$1,220,539 12

RECAPITULATION.

Total arerars of taxes.....	\$133,758 68
Total annual tax of 1911.....	1,054,667 88
Total franchise tax.....	31,785 47
Total interest from bank.....	138 54
Total assessments	188 55
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	\$1,220,539 12

Paid City Treasurer James Smith. 1,220 539 12

From March 18, 1884, to May 6, 1912, inclusive, I have collected and turned over to the City Treasurer the following amounts:

Mar. 18, 1884, to May 7, 1888..	\$1,629,002 32
May 7, 1888, to May 4, 1889..	446,181 28
May 4, 1889, to May 5, 1890..	491,922 42
May 5, 1890, to May 4, 1891..	527,558 26
May 4, 1891, to May 2, 1892..	641,925 73
May 2, 1892, to Apr. 30, 1893..	632,881 84
May 1, 1893, to May 7, 1894..	567,875 90
May 7, 1894, to May 6, 1895..	584,842 83
May 6, 1895, to May 4, 1896..	630,659 35
May 4, 1896, to May 3, 1897..	566,100 57
May 3, 1897, to May 2, 1898..	670,367 47
May 2, 1898, to Apr. 30, 1899..	681,948 82
Apr. 30, 1899, to May 7, 1900..	669,335 16
May 7, 1900, to May 6, 1901..	688,109 43
May 6, 1901, to May 5, 1902..	653,381 53
May 5, 1902, to May 4, 1903..	724,217 84

May 4, 1903, to May 2, 1904..	658,917 43
May 2, 1904, to Apr. 30, 1905..	662,101 59
Apr. 30, 1905, to May 7, 1906..	886,031 01
May 7, 1906, to May 6, 1907..	971,429 43
May 6, 1907, to May 4, 1908..	813,828 05
May 4, 1908, to May 3, 1909..	943,704 53
May 3, 1909, to May 2, 1910..	966,306 32
May 2, 1910, to May 1, 1911..	1,192,539 63
May 1, 1911, to May 6, 1912..	1,220,539 12
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	\$19,121,707 86

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD BOWES,

Collector of Revenue.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., May 6, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit the report for the fiscal year ending May 5, 1912:

Total amount received in fees.....	\$572 00
Number permits issued.....	261
Number permits issued (no charge)...	122
Number applications filed.....	383
Number plans filed (sets).....	108
Number complaints received.....	33

NEW BUILDINGS.

Type.	Number.	Est. cost.
4-Story brick	1	\$5,500 00
3-Story brick	2	42,000 00
2-Story brick	6	81,200 00
1-Story brick	7	19,479 00
3-Story frame	1	4,250 00
2-Story frame	5	6,800 00
1-Story frame	19	11,130 00
2-Story iron	1	900 00
1-Story iron	2	8,950 00
Steel water tower.....	2	8,000 00
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	45	\$188,209 00

ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS.

Type.	Number.	Est. cost.
Brick buildings	109	\$102,112 00
Frame buildings	104	47,463 00
Concrete buildings	1	950 00
Buildings moved	1	50 00
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	215	\$150,575 00

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. CUMMINGS,

Inspector of Buildings.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., May 6, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to submit herewith to your Honorable Body my annual report for the year ending May 6, 1912:

Applications for peddlers licenses.....	79
Applications for hack licenses.....	37
Applications for porters' licenses.....	28

Application for second-hand dealers' licenses	13
Applications for junk licenses.....	17
Applications for pawnbrokers' licenses...	3
Applications for auctioneers' licenses.....	5
Applications for express licenses.....	6
Applications for truck licenses.....	19
Applications for musicians' licenses.....	15
Applications for concert hall licenses.....	6
Applications for theatre licenses.....	3
Applications for moving picture licenses...	6
Application for bill poster license.....	1
Application for circus license.....	1

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER ROBB,

License Inspector.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of April, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening fees, and for sewer tapping fees for the month of April, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of April, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Annual report of the Board of Police Commissioners for the year beginning May 1, 1911, and ending April 30, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Annual report of Patrick Hayes, Jr., for the year beginning May 1, 1911, and ending May 1, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,354.73, to pay salaries to the police department for the first half month of May, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from James Smith, custodian of school moneys, for the sum of \$55,882.27, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, the amount of money required to maintain the police department for the fiscal year 1912-1913, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the amount of money required to maintain the Health Department for the fiscal year 1912-1913, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Lehman Bros., as junkmen.

An ordinance to regulate street traffic, and requiring drivers of vehicles to comply with certain rules in order to facilitate traffic, prevent blockades and avoid accidents.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the board took a recess, subject to the call of the chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the following petitions for licenses, reported in favor of granting the same:

For peddlers' licenses, Robert Boyce, John Marshall, Martin Josephy, George Kronus, Angelo Mongiello, Henry Rodey, John Scott, John Harms, Ralph Marino, William H. Buerger (2), Andrew Belik, John Pavlosky, Frank Di Martine, Luigi Pastore, Hamilton Varey, Charles Meyer, Fred Miller (2), John Schneider, Jr., John Barnitt, Michael Demino, Alfonso Di Sapio, John Meyer, C. Meissner, George Poolos, Matteo Torre, Herman Kiesewetter, H. Koester.

For hack licenses, E. J. Giroux, Rudolf von Ende, Andrew Serventi (2), Edward Fitzgerald.

For porters' licenses, Edward Wortmann, Frederick A. G. Schultze.

For express license—G. Tenerill.

For truck licenses—Henry Cordts, Michael Romano, Samuel McCormick, F. W. Reeves, Wm. Patterson & Son, Farr Trucking Co. (2).

For moving picture licenses—Frank P. Daley, W. H. Peck, Charles Guilloud, F. C. Roesch.

For concert hall licenses—Charles Rein-king, Marc Geiger

For theatre licenses—A. M. Bruggemann, Washington Street Company, Nicholas M. Schenk.

For musician licenses—Peter Degan, Karl Wenz, Fritz Konrad, Peter Engel, Emil Geib, Heinrich Hess, John Schneider, Peter Greilach, Karl Konrad.

For second-hand licenses—Paul Stutser, J.

Wolpin, S. Glaser, Abraham Isaac, Jacob Stern, H. Goodman, Jacob Stern, Benjamin Pearlman.

For junk licenses—Antonio Giordano, Michele Liquardi.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report was received and the licenses granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for the first-month of May, 1912 \$480.00

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred the following bond, reported in favor of accepting and approving said bond:

Philip Daab, as Assistant Comptroller.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., May 8, 1912.

To the Hon. Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred the proposal of James Whalen for the alterations of the public comfort station in Church Square Park in accordance with the plans and specifications drawn by Max J. Beyer and on file in the office of the City Clerk, have leave to report that they have carefully examined the said proposal and deem the same to be advantageous and to the best interests of the City, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the alterations of the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park in accordance with the plans and specifications drawn by Maj J. Beyer and on file in the office of the City Clerk be and the same is hereby awarded to James

Whalen at the price named in his proposal, viz., \$2,393.00; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,
ROBERT J. RATH,
GEORGE LA POINTE,
J. G. LARKIN,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., May 8, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the proposal of James Whalen for the alterations of the public comfort station in Hudson Square Park, in accordance with the plans and specifications drawn by Max J. Beyer and on file in the office of the City Clerk, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the said proposal and deem the same to be advantageous and to the best interests of the city, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the alterations of the public comfort station in Hudson Square Park, in accordance with the plans and specifications drawn by Max J. Beyer and on file in the office of the City Clerk be and the same is hereby awarded to James Whalen at the price named in his proposal, viz.: \$2,040.00; and, further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,
ROBERT J. RATH,
GEORGE LA POINTE,
J. G. LARKIN,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the amount of moneys necessary for the maintenance of the Health Department for the ensuing year, exclusive of the five cents per capita as allowed by law, amounting to the sum of \$1,700, being \$500 for the employment of two nurses during the months of June, July and August, for the proper care of babies, and \$1,200 for a permanent sanitary milk and meat inspection, hereby approve the same and direct the City Clerk to forward a copy of their requisition and this resolution to the Board of Tax Commissioners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen LaPointe, Pflugh and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,354.73, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of May, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,354.73, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of

May, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$55,882.27, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw two warrants on the School Fund for the total sum of \$55,882.27, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, May 15, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council,
held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on
Wednesday afternoon, May 15, 1912.

Present—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney,
Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely,
Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present the Clerk
declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, May 22, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La-Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Petition from John H. Sheridan, attorney for Joseph Anderson, of Jersey City, requesting that the city award to Joseph Anderson for damages to his property, 710-712 First street, during the recent improvement on said First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Petition from Julius Lichtenstein, requesting that the water bill on the premises of 557 First street, amounting to \$17.60, be canceled, as this bill was for water consumed while the property was in possession of the city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Citizens' Union of Hoboken, protesting against the appointment of a certified public accountant to examine the books of former Water Registrar Murphy; also the appointment of a custodian to City Hall, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Citizens' Union of Hoboken, relative to the condition of the streets throughout the city, which are in a deplorable condition, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communications from Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44, Company K, Fourth Regiment, and Major Chr. Woerner Post No. 81, requesting donations for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., May 7, 1912.

James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—I hereby notify you that at the annual election for a Trustee of the Hoboken Cemetery, held Monday, May 6, 1912, Mr. Ivins D. Applegate was elected for a term of six years, to succeed himself.

Yours truly,

LEWIS R. McCULLOCH,

Secretary.

The following petition was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For moving picture license—Andrew Ser-

venti.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, incidental expenses \$8 67

P. J. Murray, names of 207 automobile owners 6 21

James J. Farrell, 27 days' services as Clerk to Board of Assessors.... 81 00

Daniel J. Gray, incidental expenses. 3 35

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue 36 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Lawrence Pendergast, 27 days' services as Acting Auditor of City Hall 70 00

Charles Zang, painting in Church Square Park 30 05

Michael Torpey, use of horse and cart in Hudson Square Park..... 73 50

Charles Zang, painting at Second Precinct 79 43

William Hammell, carpenter work at Elysian Park 91 49

Charles Zang, painting park benches, etc., in Church Square Park..... 94 18

James Cannon, washing towels 6 00

Samuel Bloomberg, mirrors furnished Public Bath 12 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half-month of May, 1912 480 00

Louis Stern, removing dead animals for the quarter ending May 1, 1912 125 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

James Whalen, building receiving basin at the southwest corner of Second and River streets 41 16

James Whalen, building receiving basin at southwest corner of Fourteenth street and Park avenue 97 08

James Whalen, building receiving basin at the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Garden streets.... 98 10

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Excise Board 44 75

Hudson Observer, printing minutes of Excise Board 30 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue..... 146 50

Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing ordinances, etc..... 68 86

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 71 10

Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 18 90

To the Committee on Alms:	
Keystone Dairy Co., milk furnished poor	5 18
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Herman Schrader, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
United Aid House, care of homeless.	40 00
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, conveyance, etc., of homeless to almshouse	6 00

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., May 13, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I return without my approval the enclosed resolution awarding a contract to James Whalen for the making of alterations to the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park. My reasons for returning this resolution disapproved are, that the City of Hoboken receives \$5,000 a year for the lease of the lands in front of Hudson Square Park, and from investigation I have ascertained that it requires less than \$2,000 a year to meet ordinary repairs and supplies in the parks. That leaves a balance of \$3,000 that in my judgment could be utilized to make some permanent improvement such as these alterations, and from my observation in making an inspection with your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, I feel that the Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park needs immediate attention, but that the station in Church Square Park can wait until next year, and then it will not be necessary to get an appropriation from the Tax Board.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN COOKE,

Mayor.

Councilman Rath moved that the communication be received, and the resolution awarding to James Whalen the contract for the alterations of the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park be passed notwithstanding the veto of His Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nay—Councilman Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

The following report was presented, read and received, and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., May 20, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg to submit to your Honorable Body a report of the receipts and disbursements of the Treasurer's office for the fiscal year ending May 6, 1912.

The abbreviations where used in this re-

port indicate "S. F.," Sinking Fund; "T. A.," Tax Arrears; "R. R.," Railroad Tax, and the item under heading of schools (in red) Industrial School.

In addition to the distribution of the city's funds in the various banks, there is also created a sub-division of cash accounts namely, "General Cash," "Excise Cash," "Tax Arrears Cash," "City Hall Bond Cash," "Cemetery Cash," "Assessment Cash," "Trust Fund Cash," "Surplus Account Tax Sales Cash," and "Balance of 1910 Cash," a statement of which is hereto annexed and in balance with final summary.

The taxes for the year 1911 will in addition be kept in a separate cash account, in which taxes now in arrears for the year 1911 only will be deposited, and on which withdrawals for the various unexpended balances of the past year, 1911, be charged.

There is also attached hereto an analysis of the "Interest on daily balances," showing the various funds to which same are distributed.

As there are no separate "Appropriation Funds" provided in the Treasurer's books, the annual disbursements are shown in "General Cash," "Tax Arrears Cash," and "Miscellaneous Cash." The Comptroller's statement will show the distribution in detail and according to funds.

Specified accounts shown in total are correct in balance and reconciled with the Comptroller's account.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES SMITH,

City Treasurer.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., May 22, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I have this day filed with the City Clerk a statement of the assessment filed in my office November 20, 1912, for the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, being for sewer, paving, grading, curbing, etc., which assessment was confirmed by your Honorable Body on the thirteenth day of November, 1907, and duly approved by Mayor George H. Stell on the fifteenth day of November, 1907, the total of which assessment amounted to \$14,458.89, and of that amount I have collected the sum of \$14,458.89 and turned the same over to Mr. James Smith, Treasurer, City of Hoboken, taking his receipts for same, which leaves no delinquency due and owing on said improvement.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD BOWES,

Collector of Revenue.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,379.73, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of May, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,937.10, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of May, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,974.36, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of June, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$10,343.75, to pay interest on bonded debt due June 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Monies, for the sum of \$699, being the amount collected by the Collector of Revenue for poll tax within the year 1911-12, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of \$604.77, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 1 from Max J. Beyer, Architect, for the sum of \$100, in favor of Max J. Beyer, for services as architect on Public Comfort Station at Hudson Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1 from Max J. Beyer, Architect, for the sum of \$75, in favor of Max J. Beyer, for services as architect on Public Comfort Station at Church Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$3,700, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Co., for services as contractors on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$185.04, in favor of Eugene Smith, for services as engineer on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 9 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, Architects, for the sum of \$7,197.80, in

favor of Paul J. Exner Co., for services as contractors on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Leon Lewis, as junk dealer.

Amedeo Guzzi, as junk dealer.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, incidental expenses	\$8 67
Lawrence Pendergast, 27 days' services as Acting Auditor of City Hall	70 00
Central Contracting Co, removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half-month of May, 1912	480 00

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$100, in favor of Max J. Beyer, for services as architect on public comfort station at Hudson Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Rath, the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$75, in favor of Max J. Beyer, for services as architect on public comfort station in Church Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Rath, the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 9, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$7,197.80, in favor of Paul J. Exner Co., for services as contractors on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Rath, the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$3,700, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Co., for services as contractors on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$185.04, in favor of Eugene Smith, for services as engineer on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the report was received.

An ordinance to regulate street traffic and requiring drivers of vehicles to comply with certain rules in order to facilitate traffic, prevent blockades and avoid accidents, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held May 8, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

An ordinance to regulate street traffic and requiring drivers of vehicles to comply with certain rules in order to facilitate traffic, prevent blockades and avoid accidents, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held May 8, 1912, and which was taken up and passed its second reading and read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$185.04, in favor of Eugene Smith, Engineer, on the improvement of Second Street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented May 22, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$7,197.80, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors, on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented May 22, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$3,700, in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors, on the improvement of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented May 22, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$100, in favor of Max J. Beyer, architect, on the improvement of Public Comfort Station at Hudson Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, Architect, presented May 22, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nay—Councilman Plugh.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$75, in favor of Max J. Beyer, architect, on the improvement of Public Comfort Station at Church Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, Architect, presented May 22, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—Councilman Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$10,343.75, to pay interest on bonded debt due June 1, 1912, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$10,343.75, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due June 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Pflugh, Belloff and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,937.10, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of May, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,937.10, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of May, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilmen Luehs, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,974.36, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of June, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,974.36, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of May, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Pflugh, LaPointe and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,379.73, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of May, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,379.73, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$604.77, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$604.77, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath

and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Whereas, The fiscal year of the city of Hoboken begins on the first Monday of May in each year, and the taxes for such fiscal year are not collectible before December 20th of each year, and by reason thereof it becomes necessary to raise monies in anticipation of the collection of such taxes for municipal purposes in the interim.

Resolved, By the Mayor and Council of the city of Hoboken, that pursuant to paragraph 315 of the laws of 1906, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated cities, boroughs, towns, villages and townships of this State to borrow money and to negotiate temporary loans, in anticipation of the receipt of taxes and assessments, and to secure the repayment of monies so borrowed, approved June 19, 1906, that temporary loans be negotiated by the City Treasurer in the name of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken for interest and other city obligations as they become due, the total amount so borrowed not to exceed (90) per centum of the taxes for current year, exclusive of County taxes, which said note or notes shall bear interest not exceeding the rate established by law for the time being, and the note or notes so issued shall be signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller and the seal of the city affixed thereto; and be it further

Resolved: That the aforesaid note or notes shall be paid and satisfied as soon as moneys raised by taxation shall be in hand for that purpose.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$27 in favor of Louis Albert, being a refund for transfer of retail liquor license paid by him on April 23, 1912, on premises No. 213 First street, said transfer having been rejected by the Board of Excise Commissioners on May 13, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$27 in favor of Thomas Bertone, being a refund for transfer of retail liquor license paid by him on March 30, 1912, on premises No. 300 Monroe street, said transfer having been rejected by the Board of Excise Commissioners on May 13, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$27 in favor of Stephan Fortum, being a refund for transfer of retail liquor license paid by him on April 22, 1912, on premises No. 135 Adams street, said transfer having been rejected by the Board of Excise Commissioners on May 13, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Belloff was excused from the meeting.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of fifteen dollars to the order of Henry Lohmann, Jr., President of the Board of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff and Duffy.

Councilman Belloff appeared and took his seat.

Councilmen Delaney, McFeely and Larkin presented the following:

Whereas, Messrs. Joseph and Robert M. Hughes, by Mr. Julius H. Kruse, their agent, have offered to sell to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken the two lots known by the street numbers 116 and 118 Jackson street, Hoboken, N. J., each of said lots being twenty-five feet wide in front and rear and one hundred feet deep throughout, for the sum of forty-two hundred dollars, and

Whereas, It is advisable for the city to acquire said two lots for the purpose of erecting a city stable there on, therefore be it

Resolved, By the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken that the proposition of Messrs Joseph and Robert M. Hughes be accepted, and that the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken do purchase said lots numbered 116 and 118 Jackson street, Hoboken, N. J., from the said owners thereof for the purchase price or sum of forty-two hundred dollars, and that two warrants be drawn to the order of said owners, Joseph Hughes and Robert M. Hughes, one for the sum of two hundred dollars, to be drawn upon the Contingent Fund, making forty-two hundred dollars in all, the amount of said purchase price; said warrants to be delivered to said owners upon the execution and delivery by them to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, of a valid deed of conveyance, conveying to said Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, said two lots numbered 116 and 118 Jackson street, Hoboken, N. J., in fee simple, free and clear of all encumbrances, said deed to contain the usual full covenants and warranty, and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney cause a proper search of the title to said two lots to be made at once.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nay—Councilman Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That Schneider & Dieffenbach and they are hereby appointed as architects to prepare plans and specifications for the building of a new city stable, at cost not to exceed twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nay—Councilman Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following: Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of James Smith, Custodian of School Monies, in the sum of \$699, being the amount collected for poll tax, as per certificate of the Collector of Revenue for the year 1911-1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La

Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars to the order of St. Mary's Hospital, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of May, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of May, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50; also warrants for the first half month of June, 1912, to the amount of \$692.50 (subject to corrections) when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of May, 1912, to the amount of \$5,415.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Beloff, Delaney, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Duffy.

Councilman Delaney moved that the Clerk be directed to notify the Board of Freeholders to open up the south side of the viaduct as soon as possible.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

1. The first part of the paper is devoted to a general discussion of the problem of the origin of life. It is shown that the problem is one of the most important and most difficult in the history of science. The author discusses the various theories of the origin of life, and shows that the most plausible is the theory of spontaneous generation. This theory is based on the fact that life is a complex of many different parts, and that these parts are all derived from a common ancestor. The author also discusses the possibility of life being created by a divine power, and shows that this is a very unlikely possibility.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, June 12, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely, Pfugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the reading of the minutes of the Council, held May 8, 15 and 22, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Invitation from the North Hudson Hospital to attend the nurses' graduating exercises and reception, to be held on Tuesday, June 18, 1912, at Public School No. 3, Weehawken, at 8:15 p. m., was presented, read and accepted.

Invitation from North Hudson Aerie, No. 1,812, Fraternal Order of Eagles, to attend the annual picnic, to be held at Schuetzen Park, on June 26, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from Harris, Forbes & Co., relative to the \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds, and requesting to return their check of \$5,000, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communications from General McArthur Camp, No. 9; U. S. S. Badger Naval Camp No. 19, and Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting donations for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the American Lead Pencil Company, requesting permission to cross Clinton street, to lay concrete or iron conduit above the sewer lines, in order to enable them to carry water supply lines to their building on east side of Clinton street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hudson County Board of Taxation, relative to the tax ordinance, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Councilman Rath appeared and took his seat.

The following licenses were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddler's licenses—Guseppe Marcione, Pietro Venezia, Giovanni Muescanti, William Stripp, Frank Valonvelli, Sun Quong Lung & Co., Carmine Silvestria, Francesco Sagris-

tano, Lucio Schisano, Luigi Demal, Andemio Terminiello, Giuseppe Dinaccio, Tacherino Ronato, Nicholas Cachemis, Martin Josephy, Paul Marrone, John Laido, Swift & Co., Antonio Etarginzo, John Bertotti, John Provitere, Marco Aurigemma, John Katsenez.

For junk dealer's licenses—Michele Liquadria, Louis Engler, Amedeo Guzzi, John Napcrano, Pasquale Orlando, Carmine Laino.

For porter's license—Nathan Lowitz, Frank Cesana, Abraham Stern, James Murphy, Louis Hafner.

For hack licenses—Chas. W. Thomas, James Kadien, Peter Bellens, Fred. Reynolds, Theo. Wendt, Richard Bohm, James J. Flaherty (2).

For second-hand dealer's licenses—John Bothwick, John Mahoney, G. Koskeker, Solomon Ritter, Louis Loffler.

For musician's licenses—Francesco Ferrari, John Raab, Wilhelm Muller, Rudolf Kuhlvetter, Karl Muller, Peter Kleeman, Dietrich Eberle, Louis Paggali.

For express licenses—Emil A. Buruckherr, New Jersey Transfer & Baggage Express, Inc.

For pawnbroker licenses—Daniel Cohn, David Mayer.

For concert hall licenses—Oscar Driesbach, Henry Hansen, S. Benjamin, H. Kelley.

For truckman's licenses—Charles Hansen, New Jersey Transfer and Baggage Express, Inc.

For moving picture licenses—F. C. Roesch, Charles Guilloud.

For auctioneer license—C. A. Tissot.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue \$54 00

Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and carriage for Inspector of Weights and Measures 56 00

N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service to June 1, 1912..... 43 58

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Second Precinct..... 33 35

Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Second Precinct 50 15

Sol. Lubash, supplies furnished Public Bath 63 98

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall..... 20 00

Philip Fleberling, plants furnished Church Square Park 66 05

Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of Public Bath for May, 1912.... 20 00

Thomas F. Devlin, painting at Hud-

son Park	98 00
J. Grulich & Sons, 5 bushels grass seed for parks	25 00
Edward Hierdt, two American flags	20 00
Rudolph Schwoerer, plants furnished	
Eleventh street stip	9 00
Rudolph Schwoerer, plants furnished	
Elysian Park	96 00
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Hudson Square Park	81 95
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Elysian Park.....	7 05
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Church Square Park..	53 30
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Public Bath	85 70
Alex. T. McCabe, removing and storing electric fans, etc at City Hall	94 50
Alex. T. McCabe, repairing fans, etc., at City Hall	81 00
Wm. Hammell, repairs at Public Bath	99 06
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at City Stable	94 19
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments	
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	85 25
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses for Street Department	46 75
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for the first half-month of June, 1912....	480 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	71 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	429 10
Pay roll, repairign streets	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	469 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets	534 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	470 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	49 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	35 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	327 90
Pay roll, repairing streets	45 00
To the Committee on streets:	
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished ed Sewer Department	\$16 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, publishing traf- fic ordinance	\$40 06
Hudson Observer, stationery	8 50
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of Registry and Election.....	757 00
The Ivins Printing & Publishing Co., publishing traffic ordinance..	42 84

The Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing notice of Primary Election, May 28, 1912.....	\$330 50
Charles E. Bohm, Legislature bills and titles for City Clerk.....	25 00
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished District Court	22 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of May 15, 1912	3 80
Underwood Typewriter, repairing typewriter	5 00
Hudson Observer, stationery As- sessors office	10 50
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Comptroller	26 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of May 8 and 22, 1912.....	179 70
To the Committee on Alms:	
C. Faust, medicine furnished the poor	4 20
E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
George Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
G. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
E. Schmidt, care of homeless.....	12 00

The follownig communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., June 12, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I have caused to be made appropriate searches in the offices of the Register and County Clerk of the County of Hudson, N. J., against the premises described in the accompanying abstract of title, and find the same to be as set forth in my abstract.

The premises are now in the names of Joseph P. Hughes and Robert M. Hughes, subject to a mortgage of \$1,500, dated March 25, 1906, to Elsie Dunton, and now held by Charles H. Matlage.

Very respectfully yours,
HORACE L. ALLEN,
Assistant Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., June 12, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I respectfully report to your Honorable Body that Alexander E. Kittred

resigned as Clerk to the Recorder's Court, on May 31, 1912.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN J. MCGOVERN,
Recorder.

Report of the Board of Fire Commissioners for the fiscal year ending May, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening fees and fees for old paving blocks for the month of May, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of May, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of May, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,354.73, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from James Smith, Treasurer, for the sum of \$7,000, for the support of Industrial Education for the year 1912-1913 was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Michele Liquardia, Carmine Laino, Louis Engler, Giovanni Naporano, Pasquale Orlando as junkmen.

N. J. Transfer and Baggage Express, Emil A. Puruckherr, as expressmen.

Daniel Cohn, David Mayer, as pawnbrokers, Charles A. Tissot, as auctioneer.

Specifications for the building of a new city stable was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,690, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$134.40, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Monroe street, bet. Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., May 24, 1912.

To the Hon. Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—This is to certify, that at a meeting of the Board of School Estimate of the District of Hoboken, County of Hudson, held on Thursday evening, May 23, 1912, the following amount, specified, was fixed and determined as necessary for the use and maintenance of the public schools of the School District of Hoboken, County of Hudson, State of New Jersey, for the school year ending June 30, 1913, viz.:

Teachers' salaries	\$320,725 27
Janitors and officials	31,590 00
Medical inspection	5,200 00
Transportation	1,800 00
Interest on notes	3,500 00
Coal and wood	11,000 00
Supplies	15,000 00
Medical and dental supplies...	600 00
Janitors' supplies	1,500 00
Evening school	2,000 00
Water	1,000 00
Insurance	2,000 00
Gas and electric light.....	2,500 00
Telephones	600 00
Lectures	500 00
Commencements	200 00
Piano care	200 00
Clock care	350 00
Printing	2,250 00
Manual Training	5,000 00
Repairs	11,500 00
New boiler at No. 5.....	1,600 00
Help at High School.....	3,600 00
Appointments	1,250 00
Evening High School.....	5,000 00
Contingent Fund	2,000 00
Rent of Truant School.....	300 00

Total amount required.....	\$432,765 27
Amount apportioned by State....	241,974 69

Amount to be raised by taxation.	190,790 58
Less amount of unexpended balances, viz:	20,000 00

\$170,790 58

We would therefore ask your Honorable Body to appropriate the amount so specified and required, as aforesaid, in the same manner as other appropriations are made.

By order of the Board of School Estimate,

MARTIN COOKE, President.

ROBT H. ALBERTS,

RICHARD A. MARNELL,

JOHN J. DELANEY.

Attest: W. A. KERR, Secretary.

The following report of the Board of Tax Commissioners for the fiscal year 1912, was presented, read and ordered spread in full on the minutes, and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries, with instructions to said Committee to prepare and submit to the

Council an ordinance to cover said report:

Hoboken, N. J., June 1, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—The Tax Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, who are Freeholders and Electors in the ward which they respectively represent, to wit:

First Ward—Richard Grube, Frederick Erxmeyer.

Second Ward—Jacob Weigel, Robert Pal-lehner.

Third Ward—Domenico Venaglia, Frank Scutellaro.

Fourth Ward—John A. Cross, John Gaynor.

Fifth Ward—James Connell, Albert Klob-lein, Jr.

having met at the City Hall on the Eighth day of January, 1912, appointed Albert Kloeblein, chairman of the board, and John A. Cross, secretary, hereby certify that they have fixed the amount to be raised by taxation for the current year as follows, to wit:

INTEREST ON BONDED DEBT.

Cleaning and repairing sewer bond	\$280 00
Police Department Bonds	1,080 00
Park due 4/1/16 bonds	400 00
Purchase of Elysian Park Bonds	514 00
Outlet Sewer Bonds	4,000 00
Free Public Library Bonds....	2,000 00
Fire Engine House Bond.....	1,000 00
Redemption of Uptown Street Bonds A	12,480 00
Redemption of Uptown Street Bonds B	3,000 00
Redemption of Uptown Street Bonds C & D.....	6,860 00
Erection of two Engine House Bonds	600 00
Fire House No. 6 due 8/1/25 Bonds	1,000 00
Fire House No. 6 due 8/1/27 Bonds	800 00
Funding due 9/1/27 Bonds.....	3,015 00
Street Repairing due 5/2/28 Bonds	6,000 00
Street Repairing due 10/1/28....	2,000 00
Refund Judgment Bonds.....	2,080 00
Funding due 5/1/28 Bonds....	1,075 00
Playground Bonds	2,000 00
Funding, due 12/1/40.....	5,737 50
Repaving Street Bonds	5,000 00
First Street Sewer Bonds.....	1,900 00
School No. 7, due 3/1/17, Bonds	3,600 00
School No. 7, due 6/1/18, Bonds	5,520 00
School No. 8 due 3/1/34 Bonds	5,600 00
School No. 9 due 1/1/37 Bonds	8,786 00
Extension School No. 2 Bonds..	335 43
School No. 9 due 1/1/39 Bonds	420 00

High School due 1/1/39 Bonds..	4,000 00
High School, due 1/1/40 Bonds..	11,250 00
Water due 5/1/38 Bonds.....	4,750 00
City Hall Bonds.....	5,625 00
No. 1 School Bonds	11,823 75

Total interest on funded debt \$120,412 28⁵⁰

Less the following amounts, estimated:

Receipts from Franchise Tax, due December, 1912..... \$31,785 47

4 per cent. surplus on taxes, 1911-1912

25,000 00

56,785 47

Total interest on Funded Debt 63,626 81

TRUST FUNDS.

Sinking Fund Installments, Current Account 1912-13, on account of:

Cleaning and repairing Sewer Bonds..	\$3,500 00
Police Department Bonds	2,400 00
Purchase of Elysian Park	700 00
Outlet Sewer Bonds..	2,000 00
Free Public Library Bonds	1,000 00
Fire Engine House Bonds	800 00
Redemption of Uptown Streets, A Bonds...	6,240 00
Redemption of Uptown Streets, B Bonds...	1,500 00
Redemption of Uptown Streets, C and D Bonds	3,000 00
Erection of Engine House Bonds	930 00
Fire House No. 6 Bonds	1,620 00
Funding, due 9/1/27, Bonds	2,010 00
Street Repairing, due 5/2/28, Bonds.....	2,000 00
Street Repairing, due 10/1/28 Bonds ...	1,000 00
Refunded Judgment Bonds	1,040 00
Funding, due 5/1/38, Bonds	405 00
Playground Bonds ...	1,000 00
Funding, due 12/1/40	3,825 00
Repaving Streets Bonds	2,425 00
First Street Sewer Bonds	2,500 00
School No. 7 Bonds...	5,000 00
School No. 8 Bonds...	2,800 00
School No. 9 Bonds...	4,395 00

Extension, School No. 2 Bonds	140 00	
High School and No. 9 School Bonds	2,210 00	
High School Bonds...	5,000 00	
School No. 1 Bonds...	5,255 00	
Water, due 5/1/38, Bonds	1,780 00	
Water, due 7/1/38...	430 00	
City Hall Bonds.....	4,420 00	
Lackawanna Bonds...	5,000 00	
Total Sinking Fund charges		\$76,325 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	\$6,273 31	
Temporary Loan	6,056 15	
Shortage on Franchise Tax, 1911-1912	230 03	
		\$12,559 40
Less Interest on Treasurer's daily bank balances	5,022 20	
Total		7,537 29
Incidental expenses, Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes...	300 00	

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

For current accounts..	6,000 00	
Floating account bills on hand	963 34	
Jundment Hudson Observer	423 00	
Total of printing and stationery.		7,386 34

ELECTIONS.

Claim of A. W. Clayton	\$822 34	
Hudson Observer	1,687 00	
The Democrat	106 00	
Special election, May 28, 1912, and General election Nov. 1912..	4,500 00	
Total for elections..		7,115 34

INSURANCE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Claims on file.....	\$883 99	
Builder's risk on City Hall	62 67	
For fiscal year.....	907 20	
Total		1,853 86

FUEL, SUPPLIES, REPAIRS, CITY B'L'DS.

Coal and wood, City Hall and sub-station	\$2,000 00	
Ice	300 00	
Supplies (general)....	300 00	
Repairs (sub-station), painting and carpenter work	200 00	

ter work	200 00	
Taking down and putting up awnings....	50 00	
Total cost of fuel, supplies, etc., city buildings.....		2,850 00
To send Comptroller and Assistant Treasurer to National Association Comptrollers, Buffalo, N. Y.	100 00	
Water rents on city property....	225 00	

PROTECTION OF LIFE, HEALTH AND PROPERTY.

Police Department:		
Salaries and pensions.	151,569 25	
Printing and stationery	1,200 00	
Incidentals	300 00	
Supplies and repairs..	500 00	
Telephone and telegraph	200 00	
Pictures for Rogues' Gallery	200 00	
Feeding, shoeing and veterinary	500 00	
Total cost of Police department ..	154,469 25	
Less anticipated collections of licenses..	110,000 00	
Total forty-four thousand five hundred and sixty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents to be raised by taxation		44,469 25
Clerk hire to Secretary.....		300 00
Fire Department:		
Salaries and pensions.	119,182 41	
Feeding and shoeing horses	7,140 00	
Supplies and repairs..	3,000 00	
Printing and stationery	800 00	
Gas and electric light.	900 00	
Coal and wood.....	1,500 00	
Water	350 00	
Hose	1,100 00	
Manure	100 00	
Succession boxes	300 00	
Extension of signal and extension boxes	300 00	
Telephone	25 00	
Installing new heating boiler and renovating plant at No. 5 Engine House	800 00	
Ladders	75 00	
No. 6 Engine House, new flooring	500 00	
Balance in the fund of \$450 reappropriated.		
Total cost of Fire Department.		130,122 41

Health and Vital Statistics Department:

District Nurses	\$500 00	
Examination of milk..	500 00	
Capita tax	3,516 20	
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Total for Health and Vital Statistics Department	4,516 20	
Public Charity and Corrections:		
Outdoor poor	\$1,500 00	
Medicine for poor.....	500 00	
St. Mary's Hospital and the balance in the funds reappropriated	25,000 00	
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Total	27,000 00	
Salaries of city officials	\$98,069 50	
Less balance in funds.	459 65	
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Total for salaries.....	97,609 85	
Public Works:		
Sprinkling streets around City Hall and the balance in the fund	\$130 00	
Removing ashes and garbage	9,700 00	
Removing dead animals and the balance in the fund	400 00	
Street and public building lighting ...	23,680 00	
Wood block pavement on Jackson St., bet. First and Paterson Ave	6,300 00	
Wood block pavement on Clinton St., bet. First and Third Sts.	9,270 00	
Wood block pavement on Tenth St., bet. Grand and Clinton Sts.....	3,600 00	
Repairing intersection of Madison and 11th Sts.....	380 00	
Repairing streets and cross-bridge laying..	2,000 00	
Repairing asphalt streets	5,000 00	
Purchase of two lots 50x100, for city stable, and the reappropriation of \$4,000 repairing stable now in fund	200 00	
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Total cost of repairing, repaving, etc.....	60,660 00	
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LABOR AND SUPPLIES, GENERAL, STREET DEPARTMENT.		
Men cleaning streets..	\$23,000 00	
Shovels	40 00	

Scoops	16 00	
Uniforms for men on streets	100 00	
Feeding horses	1,600 00	
Shoeing horses	550 00	
Street sprinkling for sweepers	750 00	
Cylinder brooms	600 00	
Hand brooms	600 00	
Upkeep of carts and street sweeper	500 00	
Veterinary services ...	100 00	
Can acrriers	90 00	
Cans	36 00	
Two sets harness and repairs to old harness	200 00	
Body on old cart.....	50 00	
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Total cost of street cleaning..	28,232 00	
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SEWERS.		
Six men cleaning receiving basins	\$5,616 00	
Uniform and caps for sewer men	48 30	
New man-hole rings and covers	300 00	
Supplies and tools...	100 00	
Repairing sewers and rebuilding man-holes	500 00	
Repairing box sewer, Clinton St, northerly part of block bet. First and Second Sts	600 00	
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Total cost of sewers.....	7,164 30	
Industrial education	7,000 00	
Music in parks.....	700 00	
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BATHS.		
Repairs and supplies for baths	\$100 00	
Berth for bath.....	174 00	
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Total for baths.....	274 00	
Playgrounds, and balance in the fund....	\$2,985 00	
Observance of Memorial Day	500 00	
July 4, fireworks.....	500 00	
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Total cost of playgrounds, etc.	3,985 00	
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MISCELLANEOUS.		
Expert services on examination of lands for Corporation Attorney	\$100 00	
Telephone services ½ rate as per contract	800 00	
Claim of George Malone	350 00	
S. A. Besson	300 00	

Bond Buyer	6 00
Richard Bowes	72 00
Commercial & Finan- cial Chronicle	12 00
John J. Fallon	38 49
John J. Fallon	16 16
John J. Fallon.....	38 59
John J. aFallon	43 18
Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow	216 87
Henry Lohmann, Jr..	3 50
Meyer Scale & Hard- ware Co.....	60 00
Meyer Scale & Hard- ware Co.....	110 00
McCarter & English..	53 95
McCarter & English..	55 47
N. Y. Telephone Co..	36 02
N. Y. Telephone Co..	40 47
N. Y. Telephone Co..	36 65
N. Y. Telephohne Co..	35 20
N. Y. Telephone Co..	40 19
N. Y. Telephone Co..	41 55
N. Y. Telephone Co..	49 22
N. Y. Telephone Co..	28 77
N. Y. Telephone Co..	41 35
Fred. J. Stuhr	300 00
Eugene Shinn	825 00
Eugene Shinn	775 00
Second National Bank	30 00
Thomas P. Usher ...	300 00
Thomas Sharkey	72 00
Thomas Sharkey	48 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co.....	2 73
Thomas M. Abell & Co.....	5 00
A. Becker	6 75
Frank Cordts Fur- niture Co.....	4 98
Frank Cordts Fur- niture Co.....	8 10
Mrs. Gandolfo	16 25
John Grese	5 00
John Grese	10 00
The Geismar Shop...	53 00
Otto Ottendorf	19 50
Otto Ottendorf	15 60
Otto Ottendorf	10 20
Otto Ottendorf	16 80
Herring, Marvel Hall Safe Co.....	3 00
Hoboken Elect. Equip. Co.....	15 50
Hoboken Elect. Equip. Co.....	20 50
Howell Bros.....	32 30
W. L. Kamena	22 20
W. L. Kamena	77 25
W. L. Kamena	51 50
J. E. Kenna	4 00
John Landrigan	7 00

John Landrigan	17 00
James A. Marnell...	26 00
James A. Marnell...	14 85
James A. Marnell...	28 10
Anton F. Mischo....	2 70
Alex. T. McCabe....	14 20
N. H. Peters	8 00
J. M. Patterson	8 00
J. M. Patterson	21 25
J. M. Patterson	6 00
J. M. Patterson	21 00
J. M. Patterson	51 85
J. M. Patterson	27 50
J. M. Patterson	12 85
J. M. Patterson	39 40
J. M. Patterson	10 00
J. M. Patterson.....	34 75
Francis J. Ross	4 95
D. H. Stuhmann ...	6 10
Spohn & Wittenberg..	12 75
Sphon & Wittenberg..	43 50
Spohn & Wittenberg..	36 00
James Walker	5 00
West Disinfecting Co	22 50
William R. Wilson...	29 45
William R. Wilson...	8 30
William R. Wilson...	8 20
Estate of M. Brock...	77 81
Estate of M. Brock...	80 07
Estate of M. Brock...	77 42
Estate of M. Brock...	76 90
Estate of M. Brock...	3 00
Estate of M. Brock...	76 98
Estate of M. Brock...	76 97
Mrs. M. Clark	38 75
Mrs. M. Clark	7 50
Eggert Feed Co.....	65 32
Eggert Feed Co.....	69 77
Charles Hvass & Co..	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co..	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co..	17 50
Charles Hvass & Co..	94 50
William Kochendor- fer	78 00
William Kochendor- fer	26 00
William Kochendor- fer	52 00
William Kochendor- fer	78 00
Joseph Kneer	20 00
Mrs. G. Ludwig	57 85
J. M. Patterson.....	38 00
Eugene Smith.....	50 00
Eugene Smith.....	300 00
Eugene Smith.....	130 00
Chas. C. Schloemer..	50 00
Chas. C. Schloemer..	65 25
John Zang	42 40
Total	7,851 98
Total	\$593,204 63

The moneys collected from the fines in the Recorder's Court and the fees collected in the District Court, less eighteen hundred dollars for salary of the First Assistant to Collector of Revenue, are appropriated to the Contingent Fund.

The balances in the different funds not otherwise appropriated are reappropriated to their respective funds.

The budget appropriations as set forth above are detailed for the purpose of meeting the specific needs as indicated within each department, and it is distinctly understood that the several amounts set opposite the items or purposes within each departmental appropriation shall be spent for the specific purposes for which said sums have been appropriated and for no other, it being the intention of this Board that an entire departmental appropriation shall not be considered as a lump sum appropriated, but shall be divided and used and limited absolutely to the items and purposes set forth therein.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Hoboken, N. J., May 31, 1912.

Mr. Chairman and Honorable Members of the Tax Commissioners of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Be it resolved, That the Tax Commissioners greatly appreciate the interest and valuable professional services rendered by Mr. Charles Fall to this Board without any compensation; and

Be it further resolved, That the Commissioners also extend their thanks to His Honor Mayor Cooke for his interests and co-operation with the members of this Board in their work; and

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Hoboken and to Mr. Charles Fall; and

Be it further resolved, That this resolution be entered in full upon the minutes of this meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN A. CROSS.

In witness whereof, the Chairman and Secretary have hereunto set their hands this first day of June, 1912.

ALBERT KLOEBLEN, JR., Chairman.
JOHN A. CROSS, Secretary.

An ordinance to provide for the licensing of persons or corporations engaged in the business of making loans of money in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Larkin moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Larkin then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

An ordinance to provide for the repavement of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue; Clinton street, between First and Third streets; Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets, in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

An ordinance to provide for the repavement of Monroe street, between Newark and First streets, in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars "Repavement Bonds."

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Michael Aronsberg, builder's risk insurance on City Hall.....	\$5 40	Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk etc.....	65 50
Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue	36 00	Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	39 50
James Cannon, washing towels.....	6 00	Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	107 50
Carey Bros., insurance on polling booths	19 44	Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Overseer of the Poor.....	23 25
Carey Bros., insurance on city stable	32 00	Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	55 25
Arthur W. Clayton, Jr., distributing booths, tally boards, etc. for special election held June 27, 1911.....	822 34	Ernest W. Hill, upkeep of carts....	52 50
The Democrat, publishing notice of general election, etc., 1911.....	106 00	Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	91 75
Dickson Bros., one basin head.....	36 00	Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Elysian Park	91 49
Dickson Bros., two granite basin heads and sills	76 00	Ivins Printing & Publishing Co., publishing ordinances, etc.....	68 86
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00	Est. H. Kortlang, lumber furnished Sewer Department	5 48
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	15 00	J. H. Kruse, insurance on city stable	120 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	35 00	Chas. A. Kingsland, builder's risk insurance on City Hall.....	17 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	20 00	Chas. A. Kingsland, insurance on Engine House No. 1.....	94 00
James J. Farrell, 27 days' services as Clerk to Assessor.....	81 00	J. H. Kruse, insurance on City Hall.....	188 80
Charles Fall, builder's risk insurance on City	10 68	Levinson Wrecking Co., lumber repairing box drain.....	6 65
Louis S. Fugazzi, insurance on Engine Houses No. 2 and No. 6 and Ambulance House	83 50	James A. Marnell, repairing sewer in River St., bet. Newark and Hudson Place	9 00
Daniel J. Gray, incidental expenses..	3 35	P. J. Murray, names of 207 automobile owners	6 21
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance employment agencies.....	7 38	Leo Mayer, builder's risk insurance on City Hall.....	11 34
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for Public Comfort Station....	22 68	J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 95
Hudson Observer, publishing notice to Election Officers	90 00	J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	22 00
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds	36 54	J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	38 75
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of Registry and General Election, 1911	1,570 00	Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of April 24 and May 1, 1912.....	115 20	Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Hudson Observer, printing minutes of Excise Board.....	30 00	Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drains	30 00
Hudson Observer, publishing \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds.....	40 14	Albert S. Schiller, builder's risk insurance on City Hall.....	9 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of April 10 and 17, 1912.....	73 80	Steljes & Steljes, insurance on Engine House No. 1.....	58 75
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of March 27, 1912.....	78 70	Wilson Taylor, insurance on City Hall	187 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court	13 50	Wilson Taylor, insurance on Free Public Library Building.....	100 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Excise Board.....	44 75	Michael Torpey, use of horse and cart in Hudson Square Park.....	73 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.....	146 50	I. Weiman, builder's risk insurance on City Hall.....	8 75
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Treasurer.....	7 20	James Whalen, building new receiving basin	98 10
		James Whalen, building receiving basin	41 16
		James Whalen, two new receiving basins	97 08

Chas. Zang, painting park benches..	91 18
Chas. Zang, painting in Church Sq. Park	39 05
Chas. Zang, painting at Second Precinct	70 43
John Zang, repairing carts for Sewer Department	4 40
Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue	\$54 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and carriage for Inspector of Weights and Measures	56 00
N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service to June 1, 1912.....	43 58
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Second Precinct.....	33 35
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Second Precinct	50 15
Sol. Lubash, supplies furnished Public Bath	63 98
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall.....	20 00
Philip Fieberling, plants furnished Church Square Park	66 05
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., whafage of Public Bath for May, 1912....	20 00
Thomas F. Devlin, painting at Hudson Park	98 00
J. Grulich & Sons, 5 bushels grass seed for parks	25 00
Edward Hierdt, two American flags	20 00
Rudolph Schwoerer, plants furnished Eleventh street stip	9 00
Rudolph Schwoerer, plants furnished Elysian Park	96 00
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Hudson Square Park	81 95
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Elysian Park.....	7 05
Fagan Iron Works, repairing benches in Church Square Park..	53 30
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Public Bath	85 70
Alex. T. McCabe, removing and storing electric fans, etc at City Hall	94 50
Alex. T. McCabe, repairing fans, etc., at City Hall	81 00
Wm. Hammell, repairs at Public Bath	99 06
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at City Stable	94 19
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	\$5 25
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses for Street Department	46 75
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for the first first half-month of June, 1912....	480 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	71 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	429 10

Pay roll, repairign streets	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	469 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets	534 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	470 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	49 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	35 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	327 40
Pay roll, repairing streets	45 00
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished ed Sewer Department	\$16 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Hudson Observer, publishing traffic ordinance	40 66
Hudson Observer, stationery	8 50
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of Registry and Election.....	757 00
The Ivins Printing & Publishing Co., publishing traffic ordinance..	42 84
The Ivins Printing and Publishing Co., publishing notice of Primary Election, May 28, 1912.....	\$330 54
Charles E. Bohm, Legislature bills and titles for City Clerk.....	25 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court	22 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of May 15, 1912	3 80
Underwood Typewriter, repairing typewriter	50
Hudson Observer, stationery Assessors office	10 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	26 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of May 8 and 22, 1912.....	179 70
C. Faust, medicine furnished the poor	4 20
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
George Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
G. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
E. Schmidt, care of homeless.....	12 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman

Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,690, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repavement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets; Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$134.40, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repavement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the specifications for the building of a new city stable, reported in favor of accepting the same.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen Duffy and Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$134.40, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented June 12, 1912 and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Dpffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen Duffy and Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$2,690 in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented

June 12, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Dpffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller and Assistant City Treasurer be and they are hereby directed to attend the annual convention of the National Association of Comptrollers and Accounting officers, at Buffalo, N. Y.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Dpffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Whereas, The City Treasurer has now in his possession the proceeds of bond issue for the payment of judgment obtained by the Barber Asphalt Paving Company against the City of Hoboken, for the sum of \$17,-\$91.17; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to pay to the said Barber Asphalt Paving Company the said sum of \$17,891.17, on presentation of duly executed satisfaction and release, to be approved by the Corporation Attorney and returned to him for recording.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Dpffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to return to Harris, Forbes & Company their check for \$5,000, deposited with the City Treasurer to secure the sale of "Tax Arrearage Bonds," the legality of which has not been approved by their attorneys.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the purchase of \$25,-000.00 Repavement Bonds, of the City of Hoboken, payable thirty years from July

1, 1912, and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year.

Said bonds to be coupon bonds, with the privilege of registration, of the denomination of one thousand dollars each.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, The Hudson Observer did on the 23rd day of January, 1912, obtain a judgment against the City of Hoboken, for the sum of four hundred and twenty-three (\$423.00) dollars; and

Whereas, The Board of Tax Commissioners in their annual report did appropriate the said sum of \$423.00 to meet said judgment; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the said sum of \$423.00, in favor of the Hudson Observer, and turn the same over to the said Hudson Observer upon receipt of a proper satisfaction piece or release of said judgment.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, The Hoboken Printnig and Publishing Company instituted suit against The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, summons in which was returnable before the Hudson County Circuit Court May 7th, 1909, to recover the sum of six hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty cents (\$681.30), for advertising and printing the minutes of the Boards of Police and Fire Commissioners during the year 1907 and 1908, which suit is now pending and undetermined; and

Whereas, It appears that the advertisement and printing mentioned in the declaration filed in said suit has been furnished by the said plaintiff;

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to enter a relicta in said suit for the sum of six hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty cents (\$681.30).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the repavement of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue; Clinton street, between First and Third streets, and Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor. Proposals to be submitted for the following classes of pavement: Wood block, bitulithic and asphalt block, all to be laid on a concrete base.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the repavement of Monroe street, between Newark and First streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor. Proposals to be submitted for the following classes of pavement: Wood block, bitulithic and asphalt block, all to be laid on a concrete base.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the building of a new city stable, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, and now on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications as prepared by Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the building of a new city stable, be and the same are hereby accepted and approved by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants in favor of the following named persons for the amount set opposite their respective names, as per special appropriations therefor made by the Board of Tax Commissioners in their report, dated June 1, 1912, and filed with the City Clerk; the particulars whereof being set forth in the several claims hereto attached:

George Malone, \$350; S. A. Besson, \$300; Bond Buyer, \$6; Richard Bowes, \$72; Commercial & Financial Chronicle, \$12; John J. Fallon, \$38.49; John J. Falon, \$16.16; John J. Fallon, \$38.59; John J. Fallon, \$43.18; Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, \$216.87; Henry Lohmann, Jr., \$3.50; Meyer Scale & Hardware Co., \$60; Meyer Scale & Hardware Co., \$110; New York Telephone Co., \$36.02, \$40.47, \$36.65, \$35.20, \$40.19, \$41.55, \$49.22, \$41.35; Fred. J. Stuhr, \$300; Eugene Shinn, \$825, \$775; Second National Bank, \$30; Thomas P. Usher, \$300; Thomas Sharkey, \$72, \$48; Thomas M. Abell & Co., \$2.73, \$5; A. Becker, \$6.75; Frank Cordts Furniture Co., \$4.98, \$8.10; Mrs. Gandolfo, \$16.25; John Grese, \$5, \$10; the Geismar Shop, \$53; Otto Hottendorf, \$19.50, \$15.60, \$10.20 \$16.80; Herring, Marvel, Hall Safe Co., \$3; Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., \$15.50, \$20.50; Howell Bros., \$32.30; W. L. Kamena, \$22.20, \$77.25, \$51.50; J. E. Kenna, \$4; John Landrigan, \$7, \$17; James A. Marnell, \$26, \$14.85, \$28.10; Anton F. Mischo, \$2.70; Alex. T. McCabe, \$14.20; N. H. Peters, \$8; J. M. Patterson, \$21.25, \$6, \$21, \$51.85, \$27.50, \$12.85, \$39.40, \$10, \$34.75; Francis J. Ross, \$4.95; D. H. Stuhmann, \$6.10; Spohn & Wittenberg, \$12.75, \$43.50, \$36; James Walker, \$5; West Disinfecting Co., \$22.50; William R. Wilson, \$29.45, \$8.30, \$8.20; Estate of M. Brock, \$77.81, \$80.07, \$77.42, \$76.90, \$3, \$76.98, \$76.97; Mrs. M. Clark, \$38.75, \$7.50; Eggert Feed Co., \$65.32, \$69.77; Charles Hvass & Co., \$94.50, \$94.50, \$17.50, \$94.50; William Kochendorfer, \$78, \$26, \$52, \$78; Joseph Kneer, \$20; Mrs. G. Ludwig, \$57.85; J. M. Patterson, \$38; Eugent Smith, \$50, \$300, \$130; Charles C. Schloemer, \$50, \$65.25; John Zang, \$42.40; Julius H. Kruse, \$50; Leo Mayer \$50.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,

LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$300 in favor of John A. Cross, Secretary of the Board of Tax Commissioners, for clerk hire and typewritten copies of the tax budget of 1912-1913:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$7,000 in favor of James Smith, Treasurer, for the support of Industrial Education for the year 1912-1913.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of \$250, for the payment of services rendered in the conduct of the Primary and Special Election held on May 28, 1912, in accordance with Section 179 of the General Election act.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,354.73, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,354.73, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,

LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$37.50 to the order of James Byrnes, for services as specail officer at the public bath for the first half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers to pay salaries in full as Tax Commissioners for the year 1912:

Richard Grube	\$100 00
Frederick Erxmeyer	100 00
Robert S. Pallehner	100 00
Jacob Weigel	100 00

Domenic Vernaglia	100 00
Frank Scutellaro	100 00
John A. Cross	100 00
John Gaynor	100 00
James Connell	100 00
Albert Kloblen, Jr.	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen McFeely and Pflugh.

Councilman Larkin moved that the Clerk be directed to send another communication to the Board of Freeholders, demanding an answer to the former communication relative to the opening of the 14th street viaduct.

Adopted.

Councilman Larkin moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, June 19, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, June 19, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Luehs was excused from the meeting.

Communication from Genevieve W. Bowers, commending condition of the parks, and recommending the purchase of a small hand spraying machine for use in the parks, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries: James J. Farrell, 25 days' services as

Clerk to Board of Assessors..... \$75 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

J. Ritter, attending clocks at City Hall for 1911..... 20 06

J. Grulich & Son, grass seed furnished parks..... 15 00

George Mickens, refilling fire extinguishers, etc., at City Hall..... 7 55

Wm. Meyer, new pump for public bath..... 24 00

Wm. Meyer, repairs at public bath..... 60 00

Wm. Meyer, repairs at public bath..... 73 75

Wm. Meyer, repairs at Second Precinct..... 92 30

Wm. Kamiah, supplies furnished Police Headquarters..... 4 75

Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall..... 70 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Bankers and Merchants Agency Co., advertising \$350,000 special tax arrears bonds..... 69 60

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for May, 1912..... 1,875 00

Public Service Electric Co., electric current consumed in public buildings for May, 1912..... 289 53

Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for May, 1912.. 12 90

To the Committee on Alms:

Wm. Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished poor..... 10 00

A. Schlein, groceries furnished poor..... 12 00

Martin Burns, groceries furnished

poor..... 6 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor..... 3 00

The following communication was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., June 14, 1912.

To the Honorable Common Council:

Gentlemen—I have this day appointed John F. Callahan as Clerk to the Hoboken Recorder's Court. This appointment is made to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alexander E. Kittredge. Said appointment to take effect June 15, 1912.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN J. McGOVERN, Recorder.

Councilman Belloff moved that the communication be received and the appointment of John F. Callahan as Clerk to the Recorder be confirmed by the Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Certificate No. 1 from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$1,000, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Giuseppe Giordano, Salvatore Nasti, Gaetano Milliacci, as junkmen.

Andrew L. Findlay, as pawnbroker.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and collection of the annual tax for the year nineteen hundred and twelve, in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

The Committee on Public Grounds and

Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$1,000, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the resurfacing of the asphalt pavement on Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs. Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Whereas, Much complaint has been made as to the conditions existing at Willow avenue and Fourteenth street, due to the flow of water from the viaduct at said point, and causing a nuisance to the residents of the city and property owners in the vicinity.

Resolved, That said conditions be again called to the attention of the Board of Freeholders, and the said Board be requested to abate said nuisance forthwith.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to forward a copy hereof to the Clerk of the Board of Freeholders, to the Director of said Board, and to the County Supervisor, requesting that a special meeting of said Board be called forthwith to abate or remedy the aforesaid nuisance.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of ten dollars for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, Architect, presented June 19, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500) dollars, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of June, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of June, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50; also warrants for the first half month of July, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50 (subject to corrections), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of June, 1912, to the amount of \$5,349.92; also warrants for the quarter ending June 30, 1912, to the amount of \$4,375, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk, and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Alderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and Luehs.

Chairman Anderson stated that His Honor Mayor Cooke had a relic from the battleship Maine, and requested the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to find a suitable place for it, and to report at the

next meeting of the Council.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Pflugh the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the City Hall, Council Chamber, on Wednesday afternoon, June 26, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pfugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the reading of the minutes of the Council, held on June 12 and 19, 1912, was dispensed with, and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, with asphalt pavement, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to perform the work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price of prices:

For asphalt pavement, the sum of \$1.79 per square yard.

For new 5x20 curb, the sum of 80 cents per lineal foot.

For old curbing reset, the sum of 30 cents per lineal foot.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company:

We will contract to do the above work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt pavement, including binder course and guaranteeing of same for five years, per square yard, the sum of \$1.69.

For new curbstone, furnished and set, per lineal foot, the sum of \$1.10.

For old curbstone reset, per lineal foot, the sum of 65 cents.

Communication from Christian Woerner Camp, No. 1, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Board of Chosen Freeholders relative to the opening of the Fourteenth street viaduct, that the matter was referred to the engineer in charge, was presented, read and received.

The following petitions were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For junk licenses—Gaetano Migliacci, Salvatore Nasti, Giuseppe Giordano.

For hack licenses—Gus Olson, Theodore

Brown (2), Edward Fitzpatrick, Peter Porcelli, Ralph Rocco, William Disch (2).

For porters' licenses—John Grimmer, Erie Railroad Co. (2), H. S. Rodgers, A. Worthmann.

For concert hall license—Marc Geiger.

For pawnbroker's license—Andrew L. Findlay.

For truck licenses—Campbell Stores (8).

For employment agencies—Otto Aeschbach, Fred. Seufert, Mrs. Pauline Dorfer.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue..... \$36 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Thomas F. Devlin, painting interior of Public Bath \$95 00

Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels and blankets 6 00

J. Landrigan, putting up awnings and storing awnings at Second Precinct 10 00

James Cannon, washing towels.... 6 00

Arthur Y. Letts, ice supplies, Second Precinct 16 80

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of June, 1912..... 480 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, publishing ordinances 123 06

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.... 29 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder 30 50

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of June 12 and 19, 1912.... 221 90

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 72 30

Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 13 05

To the Committee on Alms:

E. Mische, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 12 00

William Schoenbaum, groceries furnished the poor 21 00

John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.... 25 75

Emil Le Fevre, care of homeless, storage, etc..... 21 00

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee

on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken, June 25, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor, and Common Council of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sirs—At a stated session of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held on June 24th, 1912, the following preambles and resolutions were presented, read and adopted:

"Whereas, This Board has at different times during the past year fruitlessly endeavored to find ways and means to separate Engine Co. No. 3 and Truck Co. No. 2, now jointly housed in the building located at the junction of Ferry and Newark street; and,

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of this Department has, in his annual reports to this Board, recommended that these companies be separated, not alone from a better fire protection standpoint, but to relieve the congested condition now existing in the aforementioned house; and,

Whereas, It is the opinion of the Board of Fire Commissioners that the congested condition existing in the said house of Engine Co. No. 3 and Truck Co. No. 2, both on the apparatus and dormitory floors, is extremely dangerous, both to the members of the several companies and the horses in going to their places at the apparatus, and should be discontinued without delay; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Honorable Mayor and Common Council be and they are hereby respectfully and urgently requested to take steps necessary for the purchase of land in the westerly portion of the Fourth Ward of our city, and erect thereon a suitable house as soon as possible for Engine Co. No. 3, thereby relieving the existing conditions in the house where it is now stationed; and, further Resolved, That a copy of these preambles and resolutions be forwarded to the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

WM. L. DRAFFIN,

JAMES WHALEN,

PATRICK BARRY,

D. Bahrenburg."

Respectfully submitted.

D. A. HAGGERTY,

Clerk.

Certificate No. 10 from Schneider & Diefenbach, Architects, for the sum of \$10,392.95 in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractors on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,302.02, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of June, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Com-

missioners, for the sum of \$6,413.04, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of July, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,263.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of June, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,949.35, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of July, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$24,552.23, to pay interest on bonded debt due July 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$700, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Specifications for repaving with asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and collection of the annual tax for the year nineteen hundred and twelve, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned stated session of the Council, held on June 19, 1912.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read: read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Rath.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars "Repavement Bonds," which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 12, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and

read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Rath.

An ordinance to provide for the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue; Clinton street, between First and Third streets, and Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading at a stated session of the Council held on June 12, 1912

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read

Adopted

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Rath.

An ordinance to provide for the repaving of Monroe street, between Newark and First streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council, held on June 12, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Martin Burns, groceries furnished poor	6 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished poor	3 00
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	18 90
James J. Farrell, 25 days' services	

as Clerk to Assessors.....	75 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	71 10
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	503 30
Pay roll, cleaning street.....	480 60
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	100 50
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	54 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	56 25
A. Schlein, grocerise furnished poor.	12 00
Oscar Schlichting, one pencil pointer	8 50
Louis Stern, removing dead animals for the quarter ending May 1, 1912	125 00
Wm. Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
Thomas F. Devlin, painting interior of Public Bath	\$95 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels and blankets	6 00
J. Landrigan, putting up awnings and storing awnings at Second Precinct	10 00
James Cannon, washing towels....	6 00
Arthur Y. Letts, ice supplies, Second Precinct	16 80
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of June, 1912.....	480 00
nances	123 06
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue....	29 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	30 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of June 12 and 19, 1912....	221 90
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	72 30
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	13 05
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
William Schoenbaum, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor....	25 75
Emil Le Fevre, care of homeless, storage, etc.....	21 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 10, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$10,392.95, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractors on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report

was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the specifications for repaving with asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, Hoboken, N. J., reported in favor of accepting the said specifications.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and the collection of the annual tax for the year nineteen hundred and twelve, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned stated session of the Council held on June 19, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars "Repavement Bonds," which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 12, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

An ordinance to provide for the repavement of Jackson street, between First and Paterson avenue; Clinton street, between First and Third streets, and Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets, in the

City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 12, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Council Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

An ordinance to provide for the repavement of Monroe street, between Newark and First streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 12, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman LaPointe presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$10,392.95, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented June 26, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath, Duffy and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$700, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$700, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$24,552.23, to pay interest on bonded debt due July 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$24,552.23, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due July 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Delaney, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,263.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of June, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$6,263.27, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen Delaney, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,949.35, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of July, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the

Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,949.35 in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$7,302.02, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of June, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$7,302.02, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,413.04, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of July, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,413.04, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the repairing of the box sewer in part of Clinton street, between First and Second streets, according to plans and specifications prepared by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the printing of the financial statement for the year 1911-1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is

hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of thirty-seven 50-100 dollars in favor of James Byrnes, for services as special officer at the Free Public Bath for the last half month of June, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Councilman McFeely moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, July 3, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, July 3, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Plugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Invitation to attend the excursion of the Hebrew Institute of Hoboken, to be held on Sunday, July 7, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Petition from James A. Calandrille, to remove house from No. 97 Clinton street to No. 112 Grand street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Public Service Electric Co., requesting permits to set poles for street lamps at 221 and 229 Clinton street, and 69 and 79 Willow avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Communication from T. J. Wasser, engineer on 14th street viaduct, relative to the delay in opening the said viaduct, was presented, read and received.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

George Pinner, glass furnished City Hall	\$4 30
Morris Appel, furniture furnished Ambulance House	25 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of Public Bath, etc.....	22 00
Fagan Iron Works, iron fence in Elysian Park	140 00
Bryan Trainor, repairs at Ambulance House	83 00
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Pay roll, cleaning streets	546 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	498 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	49 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	524 40
Pay roll, repairing streets	54 00
William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	52 00
William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	51 10
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	84 80

The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	86 80
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	20 60
Charles Hyass & Co., 9 dozen brooms	94 50
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	39 58
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	90 55
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	83 47
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	85 15
Est. of M. Brock, feed furnished Street Department	86 47
Est. of M. Brock, feed furnished City Stable	85 72
Est. of M. Brock, feed furnished City Stable	90 51
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	\$108 00
Pay roll repairing sewers and receiving basins	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	35 00
The Geismar Shop, uniforms furnished Sewer Department.....	8 05
The Geismar Shop, uniforms furnished Sewer Department.....	48 30
Thomas M. Abell Co., one dozen shovels	10 00
A. Melching, boots furnished sluiceway gate keepers	12 50
Dickson Bros., one basin head and sill	38 00
Dickson Bros., one basin head and sill	38 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Munson Supply Co., one set of keys for typewriter	\$3 50
Remington Typewriter Co., one table for typewriter	5 00
To the Committee on Alms:	
Noble Bros., groceries furnished the poor	30 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
A. Melching, shoes furnished the poor	3 00
Reports of Street Commissioner on the collection of street opening fees and fees for old paving blocks, for the month of June, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.	
The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:	
Morris M. Appel, as auctioneer.	
Specifications for the repaving on con-	

crete foundation of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets; for the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets; for the repaving on concrete foundation of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, and for the repaving on concrete foundation of Monroe street, from Newark avenue to First street, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

George Mickens, refilling fire extinguishers at City Hall, etc..... \$7 55
Bryan Trainor, repairs at Ambulance

House \$3 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

The following report was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your committee on streets and assessments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Hudson streets between Fifth and Sixth streets with asphalt pavement, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Company the lowest bidder and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Hudson street between Fifth and Sixth streets, with asphalt pavement, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic Company, at the price named in their proposal, viz., for asphalt pavement one dollar and seventy-nine cents per square yard; new curb 80 cents per lineal foot; for old curbing reset, 30 cents per lineal foot; and further

Resolved, That the corporation attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,

JOHN DELANEY,

PATRICK H. DUFFY,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Whereas, The public parks of the City of Hoboken are very much in need of improvements, and said improvements will necessitate the expenditure of the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, or thereabout; and

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of Hoboken is of the opinion that it would be too burdensome to the taxpayers of said city to place the entire cost of such improvements in the tax levy of any one fiscal year.

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken be and they are hereby authorized to borrow the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of improving the public parks of the City of Hoboken, and to issue bonds of said city for said amount to defray the expense of such improvements.

The said bonds shall be issued in pursuance of the power and authority conferred by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to enable cities of the second class of this State to improve public parks," approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and four, and by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to amend an act, entitled 'An Act to enable cities of the second class of this State to improve public parks,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four," which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twelve. Said bonds shall be issued in the name of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, and shall be dated August 1, 1912, and shall be payable August, 1, 1937; shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of February and August in each year; both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable at the office of the treasurer of said city; said bonds shall be coupon bonds, with the privilege of registration as to principal alone, or of converting said bonds into registered bonds as to both principal and interest, at the option of the holder; said bonds shall be of the denomination of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars each, numbered from one to twenty-five, inclusive, shall be signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the City Comptroller, and shall bear the corporate seal of the city attested by the City Clerk, and shall be sold at public sale to the highest bidder for not

less than par. Said bonds shall have coupons attached for every half year's interest, until the principal becomes due and which coupons shall be signed with the fac-simile signatures of the said Mayor, City Clerk and City Comptroller, and shall be numbered to correspond with the bonds to which they shall be respectively attached. A registration of the numbers of said bonds, the date of said bonds, the date of issuing and time of payment thereof, shall be made by or under the direction of the Comptroller in a book provided for that purpose. Said bonds shall recite that they are issued in pursuance of said acts of the Legislature and of this resolution. Said bonds shall be known as "Park Improvement Bonds" and shall pledge the faith, property and credit of the city for the payment thereof. The proceeds to be derived from the sale of said bonds shall be deposited with the City Treasurer and paid out by him only on warrant or order of the Common Council. Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form:

No. \$1,000.00.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

CITY OF HOBOKEN.

PARK IMPROVEMENT BOND.

Know all men by these presents, that the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, for value received, acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay the bearer, of if this bond be registered, to the registered holder hereof, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars at the office of the Treasurer of said city, on the first day of August, nineteen hundred and thirty-seven, with interest thereon from the date hereof, at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first days of February and August in each year, on the presentation and surrender of the annexed coupons, as they respectively become due, or if this bond is converted into a registered bond, to the registered holder hereof. This bond may be registered as to principal by the owner in his name upon the books of the City of Hoboken, and such registration shall be noted hereon, after which no valid transfer hereof shall be made, except on said books, until after registered transfer to to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall pass by delivery. At the request of the owner, this bond will be converted into a registered bond, and the coupons annexed hereto detached and canceled, and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable to the registered owner hereof.

This bond is one of the series of twenty-five bonds of like tenor, date and denomina-

tion, issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to enable cities of the second class of this State to improve public parks," approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and four, and by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities of the second class of this State to improve public parks,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four," which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twelve, and by virtue of a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, on the third day of July, 1912, and approved by the Mayor, July 3, 1912, and published as required by law, for the purpose of defraying the expense of improving public parks in said City of Hoboken.

It is hereby certified and recited that each and every act, condition and thing required to be done, to have happened and to be performed to and in the issuance of this bond, has been done, has happened and has been performed in full and strict compliance with the laws of the State of New Jersey, and that the series of bonds, of which this is one, is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law, and the faith and credit of the City of Hoboken are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond according to its terms.

In Witness Whereof, the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken has caused the corporate seal of said city to be hereto affixed and attested by the City Clerk, and this bond to be signed by the Mayor and Comptroller of said city, and the coupons hereto annexed to be signed with the fac simile signatures of the said Mayor, Comptroller and City Clerk, this first day of August, 1912.

Mayor.

Attest:

City Clerk.

Comptroller.
(FORM OF COUPON.)

No. _____ \$20.00

The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken will pay to the bearer on the first day of _____, 19____, twenty (\$20.00) dollars at the office of the Treasurer of said city, being six months interest due on its Park Improvement Bond No. _____

Mayor.

Attest:

City Clerk.

Comptroller.

(ENDORSEMENT ON BACK OF BOND.)

At the request of the holder of the within bond, I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons, numbered from _____ to _____, of the amount in value of twenty dollars, and the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond, with the principal and interest thereon payable to _____ assignee, or legal representative.

Date of Registration.	Name of Registered Holder.	Registered by

And be it further resolved, that to redeem said bonds at maturity, a sinking fund is hereby established, into which shall be paid annually, during the term of said bonds, the amount collected by a special tax of not less than three and one-half per cent. upon the said issue of twenty-five thousand dollars of bonds, to be raised, assessed and levied and collected in the annual tax levy of the city; and that the interest on said bonds hereby authorized shall be raised by special taxes annually levied and collected in like manner, as other taxes are raised, levied and collected in the city, and the whole of each year's interest on said bonds shall be so raised, levied and collected in each year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Councilmen Rath, Delaney, LaPointe, Belloff, Larkin and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That Joseph W. Obrieter, Civil Engineer, be and he is hereby employed to prepare and submit to the Council as soon as possible, plans and specifications for the improvement of public parks of the City of Hoboken, and to supervise the work to be done thereunder.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Parkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the purchase of \$25,000 bonds, for the improvement of public parks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Parkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Councilman Delaney moved that the Clerk notify the Public Service Railway Company to repair Fourteenth street, between Bloomfield street and Park avenue.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, July 10, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the Council held on June 26 and July 3, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the \$25,000 repavement bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

From Harris, Forbes & Co.:

We will pay 103.591 and accrued interest to date of delivery for each \$100 par value thereof.

From Adams & Co.:

We will pay a price of 100, that is \$25,000 and a premium of \$1,025 plus accrued interest to date of delivery.

From R. M. Grant & Co.:

We will pay 104.16 and accrued interest.

From James R. Magoffin:

I beg leave to offer 104.25 and interest.

From Kountze Brothers:

We will pay \$104.432 for each \$100 par value thereof.

From Ferris & White:

We will pay 105.012 and interest.

From Folsom & Adams:

We submit herewith a bid of \$103.55 or \$25,887.50.

The following proposals for the erection of a new city stable were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From Bernard Vezzetti:

I will contract to erect the above mentioned stable, according to the advertisement, specification and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices, \$16,786.

From Paul J. Exner Co.:

We will contract to do all this work in accordance with plans and specifications prepared for the same by Schneider & Dieffenbach, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$17,700.

From James Whalen:

I will contract to do all work shown on plans and called for in the specification drawn by Messrs. Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, according to the advertisement, specification and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: For the sum of \$15,467.

The following proposals for the repaving of Monroe street, between Newark and First streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Co.:

We will contract to do the above work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$2.04½.

For granite block, American specification, per square yard, \$3.95.

For concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

For curbs reset, per lineal foot, 45c.

For new curbs set, per lineal foot, 95c.

For new curbs set, per lineal foot, 90c.

For manholes raised and readjusted, each, \$2.50.

For new manhole heads furnished, each, \$15.

For noiseless manhole covers, each, \$4.50.

For receiving basins raised and readjusted, each, \$20.

For stone blocks helaid outside of line, per square yard, 45c.

For filling, per cubic yard, 25c.

For drain pipes at intersections, per lineal foot, \$1.50.

From the Harlem Contracting Co.:

We will contract to pave and do the other work incidental thereto, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$1.82.

Granite block (Liverpool) per square yard, \$4.19.

Granite block (New American), per square yard, \$3.63.

Concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 31c.

Curbs, new, set, per lineal foot, 86c.

Crib curbs, new, set, per lineal foot, 86c.

Manholes, raised or readjusted, each, \$3.30.

New manhole heads, each, \$15.40.

Noiseless manhole covers, each, \$15.40.

Receiving basins, raised, each, \$22.

Stone block relaid, per square yard, 45c.

Filling, per square yard, 55c.

Drain pipes at intersections, per lineal foot, \$1.10.

From Standard Bitulithic Co.:

We will contract to perform the above work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic surface per square yard, \$1.85.

Granite block (New American specification block), per square yard, \$3.50.

Concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 28c.

New curbs set, per lineal foot, 78c.

New crib curbs set, per lineal foot, 78c.

Manholes raised, or readjusted, each, \$3.

New manhole heads furnished, each, \$15.

Noiseless manhole covers, each, \$9.

Receiving basins raised or readjusted, each, \$15.

Stone blocks relaid outside of lines, per square yard, 50c.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55c.

Drain pipes at intersections, per lineal foot, \$1.

The following proposals for the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From Harlem Contracting Company:

We will contract to pave and do the other work incidental thereto, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$1.63.

Concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 31 cents.

Curbs, new, set, per lineal foot, 86 cents.

Crib curb, new, per lineal foot, 86 cents.

Man holes raised and readjusted, each \$3.30.

New manhole heads, each, \$15.40.

Noiseless manhole covers, each \$15.40.

Receiving basins readjusted, each, \$22.

Stone block relaid, per square yard, 45 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55 cents.

Six-inch drain pipe, per lineal foot, \$1.10.

From Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to perform work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic surface, per square yard, \$1.85.

Concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 28 cents.

New curbs set, per lineal foot, 78 cents.

New crib curbs, per lineal foot, 78 cents.

Manholes raised and readjusted, each \$3.

New manhole heads furnished, each \$15.

Noiseless manhole covers, each \$9.

Receiving basins readjusted, each \$10.

Stone blocks relaid outside of line, per square yard, 50 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55 cents.

6-inch drain pipe, per lineal foot, \$1.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company:

We will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$1.94½.

For concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

For curbs reset, per lineal foot, 45 cents.

For new curbs set, per lineal foot, 95 cents.

For new crib curbs, per lineal foot, 90 cents.

For manholes raised and readjusted, each \$2.50.

For new manhole heads furnished, each \$15.

For noiseless manhole covers, each, \$4.50.

For receiving basins readjusted, each \$20.

For stone blocks relaid outside of line, per square yard, 45 cents.

For filling, per cubic yard, 25 cents.

For 6-inch drain pipe, per lineal foot, \$1.50.

The following proposals for the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Harlem Contracting Company.

We will contract to pave and do the other work incidental thereto according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following prices or prices:

Asphalt block pavement per square yard, \$1.83.

Concrete per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 31c.

Curbs, new, set per lineal foot, 86c.

Crib curbs, per lineal foot, 86c.

Manholes readjusted, each, \$3.30.

Manhole heads, new, each, \$15.40.

Noiseless covers, each, \$15.40.

Receiving basins readjusted, each, \$22.

Stone blocks relaid, per square yard, 45c.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55c.

Six-inch drains, per lineal foot, \$1.10.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company.

We will contract to perform the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic surface, per square yard, \$1.85.

Concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 28c.

New curbs set, per lineal foot, 78c.

Crib curbs, per lineal foot, 78c.

Manholes raised and readjusted, each, \$3.

New manhole heads, each, \$15.

Noiseless covers, each, \$9.

Receiving basins readjusted, each, \$10.

Stone block relaid outside of lines, per square yard, 50c.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55c.

Six-inch drain, per lineal foot, \$1.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company.

We will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt pavement, per square yard, \$1.98½.

For concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

For curbs reset, per lineal foot, 45c.

For new curbs set, per lineal foot, 95c.

For crib curbs, per lineal foot, 90c.

For manhole raised and readjusted, each, \$2.50.

For noiseless covers, each, \$4.50.

For receiving basins readjusted, each, \$25.

For stone blocks relaid outside of line, per square yard, 45c.

For 6-inch drain, per lineal foot, \$1.50.

The following proposals for the repaving of Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Harlem Contracting Co.:

We will contract to pave and do all the other work incidental thereto, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$1.83.

Concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 31c.

Curbs new set, per lineal foot, 86c.

Crib curbs, per lineal foot, 86c.

Manholes readjusted, each, \$3.30.

Manhole heads, new, each, \$15.40.

Noiseless covers, each, \$15.40.

Receiving basins readjusted, each, \$22.

Stone blocks relaid, per square foot, 45c.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55c.

Six-inch drains, per lineal foot, \$1.10.

From the Standard Bitulithic Co.:

We will contract to perform the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic surface, per square yard, \$1.85.

Concrete foundation, per cubic yard, \$6.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 28c.

New curb set, per lineal foot, 78c.

Crib curbs, per lineal foot, 78c.

Manholes raised and readjusted, each, \$3.

New manhole heads, each, \$15.

Noiseless covers, each, \$9.

Receiving basins readjusted, each, \$10.

Stone block relaid outside of lines, per square yard, 50c.

Filling, per cubic yard, 55c.

Six-inch drain, per lineal foot, \$1.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Co.:

We will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt block pavement, per square yard, \$1.98½.

For concrete, per cubic yard, \$6.

For curbs reset, per lineal foot, 45c.

For new curbs set, per lineal foot, 95c.

For crib curbs, per lineal foot, 90c.

For manholes raised and readjusted, each, \$2.50.

For noiseless covers, each, \$4.50.

For receiving basins readjusted, each, \$25.

For stone blocks relaid outside of line, per square yard, 45c.

For six-inch drain, per lineal foot, \$1.50.

Chairman Anderson declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Plough.

Invitation to attend the annual picnic of the Paid Firemen's Pension Fund, to be held at Grand View Park, on Thursday, July 18, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the Public Service Railway Co., in reply to communication relative to condition of pavement on 14th street, the same having been referred to the proper officials, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Board of Chosen

Freeholders, relative to unpaid County taxes for the current fiscal year, amounting to \$225,000, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Application of the National Electric Burglar and Fire Protective Company, for the purpose of constructing, operating and maintaining an electric system for the detection and prevention of fires, burglaries and robberies in buildings and apartments in the various parts of the State, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:
N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service \$45 48

Mrs. M. Clark, horse and carriage hire for Inspector of Weights and Measures 58 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

John B. Lane, music furnished, Fourth of July celebration..... 96 00

Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall 10 00

Marano & Calvano, fireworks display for Fourth of July celebration.... 400 00

The Sullivan Co., decorating band stand in Church Square Park for Fourth of July celebration..... 25 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for first half-month of July, 1912..... 480 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Commercial and Financial Chronicle, advertising \$25,000 repavement bonds 15 00

The Bond Buyer, advertising \$25,000 repavement bonds 15 00

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of June 26 and July 3, 1912..... 130 40

Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for repairing sewer in Clinton street 18 06

Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance, reavement of Jackson street. 6 48

Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance \$25,000 repavement bonds.... 31 68

Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance improvement of Monroe street 6 48

To the Committee on Alms:

Mary Byrnes, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor, was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., July 3, 1912.

To the Council.

Gentlemen.—I return without my approval the enclosed resolution passed June 28, 1912, directing the City Clerk to advertise for the printing of the financial statement. While I am in in entire accord with your Honorable Body that the financial statement should be printed, I will not approve of any resolution directing said printing until I am certain that the statement is all prepared and ready to be sent to the printer.

Respectfully,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Hoboken, N. J., July 10, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council. Standard Bitulithic Company has completed its contract for the improvement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth street, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets.

Respectfully,
EUGENE SMITH,
City Surveyor in charge.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen.—I hereby report that the Standard Bitulithic Company has completed its contract for the improvement of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street.

Respectfully,
EUGENE SMITH,
City Surveyor in charge.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of June, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Certificate No. 2, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$6,004 in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 2, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$5,620, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$222.45 in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Second street, between Willow avenue and

Madison street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugent Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$215.44 in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monson streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Giovanni Lisa, as junkman.

Bond and agreement relating to the improvements to the Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Bond and agreement relating to the improvements to the Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Specifications for the repairing and cleaning of the box sewer in the northerly part of the block of Clinton street, between First and Second streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Richard Bowes, clerk hire to Collector of Revenue	\$36 00
William Meyer, repairs at Public Bath	73 75
William Meyer, repairs at Public Bath	60 00
Anton F. Mischo, supplies furnished Public Bath	2 55
Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' service as acting janitor at City Hall	70 00
Mrs. M. Clark, horse and carriage hire for Inspector of Weights and Measures	58 00
John B. Lane, music furnished, Fourth of July celebration.....	96 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall	10 00
Marano & Calvano, fireworks display for Fourth of July celebration....	400 00
The Sullivan Co., decorating band stand in Church Square Park for Fourth of July celebration.....	25 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for first half-month of July, 1912.....	480 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered

paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the specifications for the repaving on concrete foundation of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets; Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street; Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, and the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, reported in favor of accepting the same.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the bonds and agreements relating to the public comfort station in Hudson Square Park and Church Square Park, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said bonds and agreements.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the improvement of Willow avenue, from end of asphalt pavement, north of Eleventh street to Thirteenth street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Sandard Bitulithic Company for a bitulithic pavement the most advantageous, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the improvement of Willow avenue, from the end of the asphalt pavement north of Eleventh street to Thirteenth street, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic

Company, at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

P. H. DUFFY,
JOHN DELANEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals for the building of a new city stable on Jackson street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of James Whalen the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the building of a new city stable on Jackson street, be and the same is hereby awarded to James Whalen, at the price named in his proposal, viz, fifteen thousand four hundred and sixty-seven dollars (\$15,467).

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

ROBERT J. RATH,
JAMES G. LARKIN,
P. H. DUFFY,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Rath, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., July 10, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance

and Salaries to whom was referred the several bids for the purchase of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) "Repavement Bonds," beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Ferris & White is the highest and most advantageous, and, in the judgment of your committee, it is in the interest of the city to accept the same, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the \$25,000 "Repavement Bonds" authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars 'Repavement Bonds,'" passed by the Council June 26, 1912, and duly approved by the Mayor on July 5, 1912, and also by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act providing for the repavement of paved streets in the cities of this State and for the issuance of bonds in payment therefor," approved March 2, 1898, and the supplements and amendments thereto, be and they are hereby awarded to Ferris & White, of the City of New York, at their bid of 105.012 and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars par value thereof, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds, when duly executed, to Ferris & White, on the receipt of the amount of their bid therefor and accrued interest; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to the unsuccessful or lowest bidders their checks accompanying their bids.

ROBERT J. RATH,
P. H. DUFFY,
OTTO C. LUEHS,

On motion of Councilman Rath, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, There is now on deposit with the City Treasurer the sum of ten thousand seven hundred and twenty-two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$10,722.25), proceeds of the sale of the First street fire house property, be it

Resolved, That the City Treasurer and Comptroller credit said proceeds on their books to the payment of the new city stable building.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La-Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:
Resolved, That Mr. C. A. Tissot be and he is hereby authorized to sell at public auction the property known as Block 13, New Lot 18, New No. 84 Jackson street, Hoboken, and that he turn over to the city the proceeds of such sale, and that the City Treasurer and Comptroller credit said proceeds on their books to the payment of the new city stable building.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of James Brynes for the sum of thirty-seven 50-100, for services as special officer at Free Public Bath, for the first half-month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Delaney and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$5,620 in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented July 10, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$6,004 in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented July 10, 1912, and

reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$215.44 in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fifth and Sixth street, and Sixth street, between Monroe and Madison streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented July 10, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$22.45 in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Second street, between Willow avenue and Madison street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented July 10, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy moved that a vote of thanks from the Council to Mayor Cooke, and the special committee appointed by His Honor the Mayor, and special thanks to Miss Genevieve W. Beavers, for the splendid success which had been achieved in the safe and sane celebration on the Fourth of July.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy moved that the Clerk be directed to notify the Public Service Railway Company to remove the switch at Willow avenue and First street within thirty days.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Rath the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, July 24, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of July 10, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposal for the purchase of \$25,000 Park Improvement Bonds was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., July 24, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—The Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, N. J., offer par and accrued interest for the \$25,000 Park Improvement Bonds.

For the Sinking Fund Commissioners,

MARTIN COOKE, President.

Councilman Luehs appeared and took his seat.

The following proposals for repairing box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee of Sewers:

From Charles A. Anderson:

I will contract to do the work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For 1,000 feet B. M., including all work and material, fifty-seven dollars.

Per lineal foot sewer cleaned, three dollars and twenty-five cents.

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do said work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per 1,000 feet B. M., including all work and material, \$55.50.

Per lineal foot of sewer cleaned, \$3.

Petition from property owners on Willow avenue, between 11th and 13th streets, recommending that Willow avenue, from 11th to 13th street, be repaved with bitulithic pavement, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Public Service

Railway Company, relative to notice to the unused trolley switch at Willow avenue and First street, the same having been referred to the General Manager, was presented, read and received.

Communication from Matthews Interlocking Co., requesting permission to place a direction sign at the corner of Washington and 14th streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting an exempt fireman's certificate be granted to Christopher Fennell, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Board of Health of Weehawken, relative to the filthy and unsanitary condition of the sidewalks and roadways on Willow avenue, south of the Erie Railroad, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries: James J. Farrell, 27 days services as

Clerk to Board of Assessors..... \$81 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Jersey City Ladder Co., one flagpole complete at Elysian Park.. 110 00

Jersey City Ladder Co., one flagpole complete at Church Square Park 110 00

A. L. Weinthal, music furnished Hudson Square Park..... 80 00

George A. Junker, music furnished Hudson Square Park..... 80 00

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall..... 20 00

Geo. H. Aspinwall, one barrel, disfectant 52 00

Lawrence Pendergast, 35 day services as Acting Janitor of City Hall 87 50

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels... 6 00

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall..... 20 00

Charles Preusser, supplies furnished Police Matron 17 50

James Whalen, repairs at Second Precinct 49 95

Spohr & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Sudson Square Park..... 23 35

Daniel Wallace, repairs at Ambulance House 68 13

C. H. Electric Co., repairs at Second Precinct 25 55

Thomas F. Devlin, painting at Public Bath 27 00

Thomas F. Devlin, painting at Public Bath 83 30

Eugene Smith, plans and specifications of Elysian and Hudson Square Parks	350 00
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	2 25
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses	52 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc.....	480 00
To the Committee on Sewers:	
John Whalen, building receiving basin at Garden and Seventh streets	89 78
John Whalen, building receiving basin at Willow avenue and Twelfth street	79 47
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, printing minute slips for Excise Board	25 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	15 50
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for \$25,000 Park Bonds.....	18 90
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July, 1912	100 70
Hudson Observer, publishing tax ordinance	106 20
The New Inquirer, publishing ordinances	53 46
The New Inquirer, publishing Tax Ordinance etc.....	145 90
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for June, 1912.....	1,880 83
Public Service Electric Co., current supplies for June, 1912.....	310 54
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed for June, 1912	31 70
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	9 45
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	55 65
To the Committee on Alms:	
Charles C. Schaefer, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 75
Mrs. E. Davin, care of homeless....	5 35
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor....	50 00
Herman Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
William L. Draffin, groceries furnished the poor.....	21 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
The following communication from His Honor the Mayor was presented and read:	
July 18, 1912.	
To the Council:	
Gentlemen—I return without my approval the resolution awarding a contract to the	

Standard Bitulithic Company for the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets. The bids for the work in which this contract was awarded were received last July. I feel that the contract should have been awarded then or within a reasonable time. I also feel that bitulithic pavement has not been proven to be such a success that would warrant the laying of it in our city streets extensively, especially where there will be heavy and constant traffic.

Respectfully,
MARTIN COOKE,
Mayor.

Councilman Delaney moved that the communication be received and the resolution awarding the contract to the Standard Bitulithic Company, for the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, be passed notwithstanding the veto of His Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following communication was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., July 17th, 1912.

The Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to advise you in the matter of the appeal of Stevens Institute of Technology from the assessment for 1911 on plot 3, Castle Point Terrace, known as "Castle Stevens," and consisting of about four and one-half acres of land, the appeal was dismissed by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, and the assessment as made by the Assessors of the City of Hoboken for the year 1911 was affirmed.

The property in question was deeded to the Stevens Institute of Technology in June, 1910, but said Institute did not get possession thereof until May 15th, 1911. The petitioner claimed that the property was exempt from taxation under section 3 of the general tax act, which exempts all buildings actually and exclusively used for colleges, schools, academies and seminaries not conducted for profit, and the land whereon the same are situate, necessary to the fair use and enjoyment thereof, not exceeding five acres in extent for each.

The question presented to the State Board of Equalization of Taxes for determination was whether the property assessed was, at the time of the assessment, used for a purpose which would entitle it to exemption under the statute. The testimony of the

appellant was to the effect that when the trustees of the Institute took possession of the property, they immediately appointed an architect to make drawings to indicate the changes that would be necessary to make a dormitory of it, and gave out contracts for the furnishing thereof, but that the building was not used for college purposes until September, 1911.

The State Board determined that the evidence brought the case squarely within the rule laid down by our Supreme Court in *Institute of Holy Angels v. Borough of Fort Lee*, 77 Atl. Rep. 1035, in which case it was held that in order to be exempt a building must be actually used for the purpose that is the basis of exemption.

The appeals taken, from time to time, by Stevens Institute of Technology evidence a desire upon its part to seek exemption from taxation for all property which it has and may acquire. In order that the taxpayers of Hoboken may not be obliged to bear an unjust burden of taxation, I suggest that application be made to the next session of the Legislature to have the tax law so amended as to limit the amount of property to be exempt from taxation to colleges, &c., to such quantity of land as may be necessary to the fair use and enjoyment thereof, not exceeding five acres in all to any one institution.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON.

Corporation Attorney.

Councilman Rath moved that the communication be received and the Corporation Attorney be directed to draw an act accordingly. Adopted.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Comptroller's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., July 24, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—I herewith present the financial statement of the City of Hoboken, from May 1st, 1911, to May 6th, 1912.

The total receipts for the year

were\$2,536,163.01
Balance on hand May 1st, 1911 199,298.97

Making a total of receipts and
balance\$2,735,461.98

Expenditures 2,468,152.45

Balance May 6th, 1912..... \$267,309.53

Respectfully submitted,

FRED'K KAUFMANN,

City Comptroller.

The annual report of the Free Public Library for 1911-1912 was presented, read and received.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,847.85, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,488.03, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$6,423.42, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of August, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$3,440, to pay interest on bonded debt due August 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of \$615.59, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

John F. Callahan, as Clerk of the Recorder's Court.

Constantino Russo and Jacob Kaplan, as junkmen.

Certificate No. 1 of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$1,000 in favor of James Whalen, contractor for improvement of Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 11 of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$8,266.25, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors for alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Final certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of 1,040, in favor of James Whalen, contractor for improvement of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Final certificate of Max J Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$104, in favor of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the improvement on Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	\$90 51
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	85 72
Estate of M. Brock, feed furnished city stable	86 47
R. Claussen, groceries furnished poor	6 00
Mary Byrnes, groceries furnished poor	3 00
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	20 60
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	86 80
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	84 80
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	51 10
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen brass brooms	94 50
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of Public Bath for April, 1912	20 00
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co., wharfage of Public Bath for June, 1912	22 00
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	39 58
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	90 55
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	83 47
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	85 15
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	52 00
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
A. Melching, shoes furnished poor...	3 00
Noble Bros., groceries furnished poor	30 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	524 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	498 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	546 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	49 50

James J. Farrell, 27 days services as Clerk to Board of Assessors.....	\$81 00
Jersey City Ladder Co., one flag-pole complete at Elysian Park..	110 00
Jersey City Ladder Co., one flag-pole complete at Church Square Park	110 00
A. L. Weinthal, music furnished Hudson Square Park.....	80 00
George A. Junker, music furnished Hudson Square Park.....	80 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall.....	20 00
Geo. H. Aspinwall, one barrel, disfectant	52 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 35 day services as Acting Janitor of City Hall	87 50
James Cannon, washing towels....	6 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels...	6 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall.....	20 00
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	2 25
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses	52 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc.....	480 00
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	9 45
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	55 65
Charles C. Schaefer, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 75
Mrs. E. Davin, care of homeless....	5 35
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor....	50 00
Herman Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
William L. Draffin, groceries furnished the poor.....	21 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The Committee on Fire and Water to whom was referred the communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that an exempt fireman's certificate be granted to Christopher Fennell, reported in favor of granting said certificate.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred certificate No. 11, of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$8,266.25, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred final, the certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$1,040, in favor of James Whalen, contractor for improvement to Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the final certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$104, in favor of Max J. Beyer, architect, for the improvement on Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds," passed June 26, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic Company, at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,
JOHN DELANEY,
JAMES G. LARKIN.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic Company, at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,
JOHN DELANEY,
JAMES G. LARKIN.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Harlem Contracting Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Harlem Contracting Company at the price named in their proposal, and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,
JOHN DELANEY,
JAMES G. LARKIN.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Harlem Contracting Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Harlem Contracting Company, at the price named in their proposal, and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,
JOHN DELANEY,
JAMES G. LARKIN.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the several proposals for

the repairing and cleaning of box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Thomas Cavanagh the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repairing and cleaning of the box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Thomas Cavanagh at the price named in his proposal, and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

JOHN DELANEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
JAMES G. LARKIN.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the resolution adopted, by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Luehs and Rath presented the following:

Whereas, Due public notice was given of a resolution of the Common Council, passed on the third day of July, 1912, and duly approved on the third day of July, 1912, to the effect that sealed proposals for the purchase of bonds of the City of Hoboken, to be known as "Park Improvement Bonds" in the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars, to run for a period of twenty-five years, from August 1, 1912, registered or coupon, at the option of the bidder, would be received at the regular meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday, July 24, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m., and

Whereas, The bid for said bonds, presented by Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, being the only bid received, and the same being deemed advantageous; and

Whereas, It is deemed advisable and in the best interests of the City of Hoboken to accept said bid of Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken;

Resolved, That the aforesaid bid of Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, to wit: Par value, for the aforesaid bonds, be and the same is hereby accepted, and the said bonds be and the same are hereby awarded to said Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken at their said bid of par and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars par value thereof, and the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said

bonds when duly executed to said Sinking Fund Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, on the receipt of the amount of their bid therefor and accrued interest.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That Samuel Montgomery be and he is hereby appointed inspector on the repaving of Willow avenue, from the end of the asphalt paving north of Eleventh street to Thirteenth street, at a salary of three dollars per day, to be certified by the engineer in charge.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of thirty-seven 50-100 dollars in favor of James Byrnes for services as special officer at the Free Public Bath for the last half-month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Saint Mary's Hospital for the sum of \$2,500, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$1,040 in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the Improvement of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, presented July 24, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$104 in favor of Max J. Beyer, architect on the improvement of Public Comfort Station in Hudson Square Park as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, presented July 24, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$8,266.25 in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the improvement of alterations on City Hall as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented July 24, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$3,440, to pay interest on bonded debt due August 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$3,440, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due August 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Dealney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,423.42, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the

Fire Fund for the sum of \$6,423.42, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, City Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Belloff, Luehs and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of August, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,953.51, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of August, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,847.85, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,847.85, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the

Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,488.03, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,488.03, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$615.59, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$615.59, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of the Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath and Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half-month of July, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50; also warrants for the first half-month of August, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50 (subject to correction), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for

salaries for the month of July, 1912, to the amount of \$5,515.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Pflugh.

Councilman Larkin moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, July 31, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, July 31, 1912, at 4 o'clock.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, La Pointe, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Communication from C. A. Tissot, Auctioneer, notifying the Council of the sale of the city stable, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following petitions for licenses were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses: Tomaso Martinelle, Frank Di Martino, J. H. Wiegierink, Andreas Bermudes, Harry Bander, Patrick Mluvaney, John Pavlosky, John Pepe, Giacomo Vittosi, Tony Carando, Giovanni Pasquaza, Philip Cameran, Antonio Pelly, Luigi Mandiallo, Diadato Apicella.

For concert hall license: Charles Reinking.

For auctioneer's license: Morris Appel.

For employment agency license: Edward Messner.

For bill posting license: Hoboken Bill Posting Company.

For porters' licenses: Morris Bauman, Aug. Moos, John Repko.

For musicians' licenses: John Schneider, Heinrich Hess, Peter Greilach, Frederick Feickert, Filomena Pacitti.

For junk licenses: Giovanni Lisa, Jacob Kaplan, Constantino Russo, Patrick Sullivan, Antonio Giordano.

For hack licenses: William O'Neill (3), John Schaeffer, Anton Lecari, Hoboken Auto Renting Company, August Cordes, Joseph Bellens, Herbert C. Lloyd.

For truck license—Tony Moinzo.

For theatre license: Nicholas M. Schenk.

For moving picture licenses: Frank P. Daley, Andrew Serventi.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries: Wilson Taylor, insurance on Free

Public Library building..... \$62 50

Albert S. Schiller, insurance on Engine House No. 4..... 121 50

Leo Mayer, expert services to Board of Assessors 50 00

Julius H. Kruse, expert services to

Board of Assessors..... 50 00
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Board of Water Commissioners, water furnished city stable from year 1907-1912 73 13

Max Klimkeit, taking down and storing awnings for Hudson Square Park 12 00

Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon in parks 24 00

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks 4 69

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

C. F. Willard Co., 2,000 paving blocks 80 00

Frederick Kleen, painting and lettering cans for Street Department... 15 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 45 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 471 90

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 52 50

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 482 30

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 62 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 492 30

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July 24, 1912..... 119 10

Hudson Observer, supplies furnished Collector of Revenue..... 2 00

Hudson Observer, supplies furnished City Clerk 63 80

Hudson Observer, supplies furnished City Clerk 65 25

To the Committee on Alms:

H. Methe, groceries furnished the poor 63 00

E. Meihe, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

William Disch, burial of poor..... 10 00

Specifications, with plans, for the improvement of Elysian Park were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Patrick Sullivan as junk dealer.

Antonio Giordano as junk dealer.

Requisition from the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, La

Pointe, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

The various Committees reported the following calims correct:

Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance for \$25,000 repavement bonds	\$34 68
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance for repavemetn of Jackson St.	6 48
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for repairing sewer in Clinton street	18 06
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance, repavement of Monroe street	6 48
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of June 26 and July 3, 1912.....	130 40
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	15 50
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for \$25,000 park bonds.....	18 90
Hudson Observer, publishing tax ordinance	106 20
Hudson Observer, printing minutes slips (Excise Board).....	25 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July 10, 1912.....	100 70
Wilson Taylor, insurance on Free Public Library building.....	\$62 50
Albert S. Schiller, insurance on Engine House No. 4.....	121 50
Leo Mayer, expert services to Board of Assessors	50 00
Julius H. Kruse, expert services to Board of Assessors.....	50 00
Max Klimkeit, taking down and storing awnings for Hudson Square Park	12 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon in parks	24 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	4 69
C. F. Willard Co., 2,000 paving blocks	80 00
Frederick Kleen, painting and lettering cans for Street Department....	15 00
H. Methe, groceries furnished the poor	63 00
E. Meihe, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
William Disch, burial of poor.....	10 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the plans and specifications for the improvement of

Elysian Park, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Rath the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Pfugh and Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, Ther are appropriations for repaving the following streets, namely:

Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue	\$6,300 00
Clinton street, between First and Third streets	9,270 00
Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets	3,600 00
and	

Whereas, Theer is now in the fund for repaving streets (bond issue) the sum of\$7,016 65

making a total of\$26,186 65 and

Whereas, The Council have received bids and awarded contracts for the repavement of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue; Clinton street, between First and Third streets; Tenth street, between Grand and Clinton streets; Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street; Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to transfer the moneys in the above named funds to the Street Repaving Fund (Special), and be it further

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to credit to the said Repaving Fund (Special) the twenty-five thousand dollars issued for the repavement of streets, which bonds were sold to Ferris & White, of New York City, at a meeting of the Council, held July 10, 1912, and charge the cost of said improvement to said Street Repaving Fund (Special).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, LaPointe and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the improvement of Elysian Park, in accordance with plans and

specifications prepared by Joseph W. Obrieter, Civil Engineer, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and LaPointe presented the following:

Whereas, This Board of Council duly authorized Mr. C. A. Tissot to sell the property known as 84 Jackson street (City Stable); and

Whereas, The said C. A. Tissot, after extensive advertising and also through same, had many and various bidders for same; and

Whereas, The successful and highest bidder has offered to the city the sum of \$3,525 for the purchase of said property; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the said sale be and it is hereby confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Pflugh and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he

is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for printing of the Financial Statement for the year 1911-1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Pflugh and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$700, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$700, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, Larkin and McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, August 14, 1912.

Present — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Luehs and McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the reading of minutes of July 24 and July 31, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Petition from citizens and taxpayers of the Fourth Ward, protesting against the granting of a license for a moving picture show and dance hall at 205 Grand street, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Mathews Interlocking Sign Company, requesting permission to set State highway signs, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The folloing claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

New York Telephone Co., telephone service to Aug. 1, 1912..... \$43 53

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken Land and Imp. Co., wharfage of Public Bath for July, 1912. 20 00

Edward G. Hoerd, supplies furnished Second Precinct 53 26

The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Park Keepers 95 25

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 80 20

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 81 05

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 91 45

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 59 78

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

Frank C. Martin, music furnished Church Square Park 80 00

Frank C. Martin, music furnished Hudson Square Park..... 80 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Louis Stern, removing dead animals for quarter ending Aug. 1, 1912.. 195 00

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes and garbage for first half month of August, 1912..... 480 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery.

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 47 75

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Poormaster 6 00

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder 33 30

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court 89 50

To the Committee on Alms.

John F. O'hara, burial of poor..... 95 00

George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse 2.50

August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

G. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor 57 00

G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor 21 00

J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

L. Larsen, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Frank C. Martin, music furnished Church Square Park \$80 00

Frank C. Martin, music furnished Church Square Park 80 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

Pay roll, repairing sewers and receiving basins 54 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 45 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 471 90

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 482 30

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 492 30

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 62 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 52 50

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Pflugh, Rath and Chariamn Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Luehs and McFeely.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the specifications for the repairing and cleaning of the box sewer in the northerly part of the block of Clinton street, between First and Second streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said specifications.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Luehs and McFeely.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of fees for the month of July, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of July, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Isaac Kaiser, as junkman.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds," passed June 26, 1912, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held July 24, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Luehs and McFeely.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds," passed June 26, 1912, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held July 24, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Luehs and McFeely.

On* motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, August 28, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfug, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes held on August 14, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the improvement of Elysian Park were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

From Dock Contractor Company:

I will contract to furnish labor, materials and do the required work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price, \$19,838.

From Peter J. Heagney:

I will contract to do the aforesaid work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices, \$29,925.

From Bernard Vezzetti:

I will contract to do all work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices, \$19,920.

The following proposal for the printing of the Financial Statement for year 1911-1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

From Hudson Observer:

We will contract to print, bind and deliver 500 copies of the Financial Statement for the fiscal year 1911-12, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices, \$1.75 per printed page.

The following petitions from the Morris & Essex Railroad Company, D. L. & W. R. R. Company, and Hoboken Ferry Company, to pay part payment of taxes for the years 1909, 1910 and 1911, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from Henry Cordts, requesting a

refund of \$60.35, for taxes paid by him as agent on property known as 214, 215, 218 First street, said refund having been granted by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Edward Hunter, preparing \$25,000

Park Improvement bonds..... \$25 00

Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon for Inspector of Weights and Measures 68 00

James J. Farrell, services as Clerk to Board of Assessors..... 81 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall 20 00

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

William W. Read, relaying sewer in Hudson Square Park..... 77 80

Dehls & Stein, one barrel of disinfectant for Second Precinct 50 00

Lawrence Pendergast, 35 days' services as Acting Janitor of City Hall. 87 50

George Mickens, one Rex fire extinguisher furnished Second Precinct. 15 00

Wm. Hammell, building reviewing stand in Church Square Park..... 50 00

A. L. Weinthal, music furnished parks 80 00

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

Charles Zang, painting in parks..... 2 15

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

Frank A. LaPointe, repairs in Elysian Park 5 40

George A. Junker, music furnished Hudson Square Park 70 00

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 98 30

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Ambulance House 62 95

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall 18 78

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

Charles Zang, painting at Ambulance House 95 36

Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Ambulance House 17 90

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses..... 52 00

Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department 8 00

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department 77 62

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department 81 12

Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 78 00

Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	86 88
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	80 86
Charles Wolff, lowering wood block pavement at Grand and First streets	10 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for last half-month of August, 1912.....	480 00
Mrs. A. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	18 50
Mrs. A. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	25 05
Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen bass brooms	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., 3 dozen heavy cans	72 00
Charles Hvass & Co., one dozen asphalt scrapers	30 00
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	34 85
To the Committee on Sewers:	
James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Bloomfield and Tenth streets	91 75
James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Garden and Seventh streets	91 00
James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Willow avenue and Twelfth street	89 00
James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Grand and Newark streets	99 00
James H. Fuertes, professional services, etc., investigating sewers...	1,879 50
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	24 40
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance for \$25,000 Repavement bonds	5 40
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	24 93
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Street Commissioner	92 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July 31 and August 14, 1912...	60 00
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for improvement of Elysian Park	25 62
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for financial statement	17 22
The New Inquirer, publishing proposals	18 26
The New Inquirer, publishing ordinance for \$25,000 Repavement bonds	5 40

Theresa Cross, typewriting, etc., before State Board of Assessors....	15 10
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	95 10
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	11 10
To the Committee on Alms:	
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
William Kamlah, medical supplies..	232 98
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished poor	9 60
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	17 00
I. Welsman, groceries furnished the poor	3 60
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
Charles Hoffmann & Co., burial of poor	20 00
United Aid House, care of homeless	34 50
The following report was presented, read and received:	

OFFICE COLLECTOR OF REVENUE

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 2, 1912

To the Hon. Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year, commencing 12 M., May 6th, 1912, to 4 P. M., July 31st, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of Taxes:	
Arrears of taxes of 1903. Principal and interest	\$11 65
Arrears of taxes of 1904. Principal and interest	15 96
Arrears of taxes of 1905. Principal and interest	138 91
Arrears of taxes of 1906. Principal and interest	129 12
Arrears of taxes of 1907. Principal and interest	166 00
Arrears of taxes of 1908. Principal and interest	554 06
Arrears of taxes of 1909. Principal and interest	1,883 89
Arrears of taxes of 1910. Principal and interest	7,255 17
Arrears of taxes of	

1911. Principal and
interest 42,651 55

\$52,806 31

Assessments:

Adams Street Im-
provement, between
8th and 9th Streets.
Principal and in-
terest

2,247 41

\$55,053 72

RECAPITULATION.

Total Arrears of Tax-
es \$52,806 31
Total Assessments... 2,247 41

Paid to City Treasurer James
Smith \$55,053 72

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

The following report was presented, read
and received:

Comptroller's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., August 28, 1912.
To the Honorable Mayor and Council, City
of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to report the
following receipts and expenditures of the
city from May 6 to August 1, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

May 6, 1912, balance on hand...	\$267,309 53
Received for taxes, 1911.....	41,373 29
Received for arrears of taxes...	9,066 50
Received for interest on taxes of 1911	1,278 26
Received for interest on arrears of taxes	1,088 26
Received for temporary loans...	187,000 00
Received for excise licenses (City Clerk)	103,619 46
Received for general licenses (City Clerk)	1,735 00
Received for Police Department, special officer	333 32
Received for Inspector of Build- ings	342 00
Received for Fire Department, permits, etc	208 60
Received for District Court fees.	1,136 35
Received for Recorder's Court fees	555 00
Received for Street Commission- er, sale of blocks.....	35 00
Received for Street Commission- er, permits, etc.....	65 00
Received for City Treasurer, in- terest on bank balances.....	1,094 69
Received for sale of Judgment	

Bonds	17,303 95
Received for deposit to secure Repaving Bonds	1,000 00
Received for assessments.....	2,247 41
Received for Hoboken Cemetery	367 00

Total receipts, including bal-
ance \$637,158 62

DISBURSEMENTS.

For elections	\$3,819 88
For salary, Clerk to Tax Com- missioners	300 00
For incidental expenses, Com- missioners of Assessments and Taxes	237 00
For printing and stationery, Ex- cise Department	74 75
For printing and stationery, cur- rent	1,628 98
For insurance on public build- ings	946 66
For repairs, sub-station.....	172 93
For contingent	1,875 45
For telephone service.....	43 58
For ice for city buildings.....	112 50
For printing and stationery, judgment, Observer	423 00
For Hoboken Cemetery.....	913 35
For Board of Health.....	700 00
For Police Department.....	32,804 25
For Fire Department.....	26,060 94
For outdoor poor.....	615 16
For medicine for poor.....	173 20
For St. Mary's Hospital.....	7,500 00
For repairs at city stable.....	4,094 19
For Street Repaving "Special"...	18,771 33
For Street Repaving (bond issue)	792 20
For sewers	101 50
For repairing streets, crossbridg- ing	476 50
For feeding horses.....	561 45
For sprinkling streets around City Hall	80 00
For upkeep of carts.....	56 90
For repairing sewers and re- building manholes	51 13
For iron pipe connections.....	133 00
For ten new receiving basins and heads	348 34
For removing ashes and garbage	2,880 00
For removing dead animals....	125 00
For uniforms for men on streets	243 30
For cleaning streets.....	4,883 70
For shoeing horses.....	145 00
For cylinder brooms.....	117 00
For hand brooms.....	94 50
For cleaning receiving basins...	756 00
For new manholes, rings and covers	100 00
For supplies for sewers.....	89 95
For public schools	56,581 27
For industrial education.....	7,000 00

For music in parks.....	160 00
For playgrounds, appropriation.	1,220 36
For fireworks, July 4.....	496 50
For County taxes.....	55,000 00
For City Hall alterations.....	25,857 00
For interest on bonded debt.....	38,335 98
For parks	3,255 88
For bath	393 51
For judgment, Barber Asphalt Co	17,891 17
For tax arrears bonds, interest..	10,663 62
For outstanding claims, 1911-12	6,354 29
For salaries	25,681 76
For license, refunded.....	81 00
For refund of deposit to secure sale of tax arrear bonds.....	5,000 00
Total expenditures	\$367,274 96

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts, including balance, May 6, 1912	\$637,158 62
Expenditures	367,274 96

Balance, August 1, 1912..... \$269,883 66

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK KAUFMANN,
Comptroller.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$8,708.70, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of August, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,488.03, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of September, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$6,466.61, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of August, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of September, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$9,407.50, to pay interest on bonded debt due September 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$700 to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred

to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Bond and agreement for repairing and cleaning of the box sewer in the northerly part of the block of Clinton street, between First and Second streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

James Scarella and Antonio Policastro, as junkmen.

Stefano Di Simone as expressman.

Certificate No. 1, from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$4,584.60, in favor of James Whalen, for services as contractor on City Stable, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 12, from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$9,501.30, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractor on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 13 from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,719, in favor of Schneider & Diefenbach, for services as architects on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

An ordinance to provide for the licensing, regulation and control of the business of making or giving advancements or loans of money or other things of value, and of taking or receiving collateral security therefor pledges of personal property, chattel mortgages or assignments of salary or wages, or power of attorney authorizing the execution of such assignment of salary or wages, and fixing the license fees therefor and to revenue by means of license fees to be imposed upon such business.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present — Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

The New Inquirer, publishing tax ordinance	\$137 88
The Ivins Printing & Publishing Co., printing briefs	10 50
The New Inquirer, publishing proposals	52 72
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor....	95 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
L. Larsen, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
G. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor	57 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
James Whalen, building, receiving basin at Willow avenue and Twelfth street	79 47
James Whalen, building receiving basin and Seventh and Garden streets	85 78
Underwood Typewriter Co. repairing typewriter	1 00
Board of Water Commissioners, water furnished City Stable from year 1907-1912	73 13
Edward G. Hoerd, supplies furnished Second Precinct	53 20
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public building for April, 1912	17 00
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public building for June, 1912	31 70
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public building for May, 1912	12 90
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public building for March, 1912	46 50
Public Service Electric Co., electric current consumed for May, 1912..	289 53
Public Service Electric Co., electric current consumed for March, 1912	339 76
Public Service Electric Co., electric current consumed for April, 1912..	315 30
Public Service Electric Co., electric current consumed for June, 1912..	310 54

Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for March, 1912.....	1,868 75
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting, etc., for April, 1912....	1,871 25
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for May, 1912	1,875 00
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for June, 1912	1,880 83
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	47 75
J. Ritter, attending clocks at City Hall for 1911	20 00
George Pinner, glass furnished at City Hall	4 30
C. H. Electric Co., repairs at Second Precinct	25 55
Charles Pruesser, supplies furnished Police Matron	17 50
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for first half-month of August, 1912	480 00
Hudson Observer, supplies furnished Collector of Revenue	2 00
Hudson Observer, supplies furnished City Clerk	33 80
Hudson Observer, supplies furnished City Clerk	65 25
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July 24, 1912	119 10
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	33 30
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Poormaster	6 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished District Court	89 50
Edward Hunter, preparing \$25,000 Park Improvement bonds.....	\$25 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon for Inspector of Weights and Measures	68 00
James J. Farrell, services as Clerk to Board of Assessors.....	81 60
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
Pay roll, labor in parks.....	14 40
William W. Read, relaying sewer in Hudson Square Park.....	77 80
Dehls & Stein, one barrel of disinfectant for Second Precinct	50 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 35 days' services as Acting Janitor of City Hall.	87 50
George Mickens, one Rex fire extinguisher furnished Second Precinct.	15 90
Wm. Hammell, building reviewing stand in Church Square Park.....	50 00
A. L. Weinthal, music furnished parks	80 00
Pay roll, labor in parks	14 40
Charles Zanz, painting in parks....	2 15
Pay roll, labor in parks.....	14 40
Frank A. LaPointe, repairs in Elysian Park	5 40
George A. Junker, music furnished	

Hudson Square Park	70 00	nished Assessors	24 93
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks	98 30	Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Street Commissioner	92 50
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Ambulance House	62 95	Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of July 31 and August 14, 1912...	60 00
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	18 78	Hudson Observer, publishing propos- als for improvement of Elysian Park	25 62
James Cannon, washing towels.....	6 00	Hudson Observer, publishing propos- als for financial statement	17 22
Charles Zang, painting at Ambulance House	95 56	The New Inquirer, publishing propo- sals	18 36
Wm. Hammell, carpenter work at Ambulance House	17 90	The New Inquirer, publishing ordi- nance for \$25,000 Repavement bonds	5 40
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses.....	52 00	Theresa Cross, typewriting, etc., be- fore State Board of Assessors....	15 10
Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street De- partment	8 00	Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	95 10
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	77 62	Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished pris- oners	11 10
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	81 12	George Curcio, conveying homeless to Alms house	2 50
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	78 00	George Curcio, conveying homeless to Alms house	2 50
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00	William Kamlah, medical supplies..	232 98
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	86 88	F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished poor	9 00
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	80 86	H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	17 00
Charles Wolff, lowering wood block pavement at Grand and First streets	10 00	I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for last half- month of August, 1912.....	480 00	Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries fur- nished the poor	18 00
Mrs. A. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	18 50	Charles Hoffmann & Co., burial of poor	20 00
Mrs. A. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	25 05	United Aid House, care of homeless On motion of Councilman Larkin, the re- port was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:	34 50
Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen bass brooms	94 50	Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.	
Charles Hvass & Co., 3 dozen heavy cans	72 00	Nays—None.	
Charles Hvass & Co., one dozen as- phalt scrapers	30 00	Absent—Councilman McFeely.	
John Zang, repairs for Street Depart- ment	34 85	The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, archi- tects, for the sum of \$4,584.60, in favor of James Whalen, for services as contractor on city stable, reported the same correct.	
James A. Marnell, connecting receiv- ing basin at Bloomfield and Tenth streets	91 75	On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.	
James A. Marnell, connecting receiv- ing basin at Garden and Seventh streets	31 00		
James A. Marnell, connecting receiv- ing basin at Willow avenue and Twelfth street	89 00		
James A. Marnell, connecting receiv- ing basin at Grand and Newark streets	99 00		
Hudson Observer, stationery fur- nished Assessors	24 40		
Hudson Observer, publishing ordi- nance for \$25,000 Repavement bonds	5 40		
Hudson Observer, stationery fur-			

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 13, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,719, for services as architects on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the bond and agreement for repairing and cleaning of the box sewer in the northerly part of the block of Clinton street, between First and Second streets, reported in favor of adopting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Printing and Stationery to whom was referred the proposal for the printing of the Financial Statement, 1911-1912, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Hudson Observer the lowest and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the printing of the Financial Statement be and the same is hereby awarded to the Hudson Observer at the price named in their proposal, viz.: One dollar and seventy-five cents; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,
GEORGE LA POINTE,
JOHN DELANEY,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to Bernard Vezzetti and Peter J. Heagney their checks amounting to \$2,000 each deposited with their bids for the improvement of Elysian

Park.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the claim of E. W. Fuldner, No. F, 1235, for \$19, and the claim of Ivins D. Applegate, No. F, 1234, for \$29.25, for burial of the poor, be and the same are hereby ordered paid by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of August, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, for the sum of Twenty-five dollars for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of Ten dollars for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, De'aney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of Five dollars

to the order of Harry Bennett for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of Ten dollars (\$10.00) for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of Seventy-five dollars to the order of James Byrnes, for services as Special Officer at Free Public Bath for the month of August, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries to whom was referred the following applicants, who have petitioned the Mayor and Council for donations for the proper observance of Memorial Day, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants for the following amounts, to the orders of the several organizations and to deliver the same to the duly accredited representatives, as per appropriations of the Board of Tax Commissioners:

V. A. Company D, Ninth Regiment..	\$70 00
Christian Woerner Camp No. 1.....	70 00
Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44.....	70 00
Major Christian Woerner Post, No. 81	70 00
Company K, Fourth Regiment.....	70 00
General Arthur McArthur Camp,	
No. 9	70 00
Association of Exempt Firemen....	80 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolver, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$4,584.60 in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of City Stable, 116-118 Jackson street, as per certificate of Schneider & Diffenebach, architects, presented August 28, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPoints, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$1,719 in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented August 28, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPoints, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$9,501.30, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented August 28, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPoints, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,708.70, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of August, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,708.70, in

favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of August, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Pfugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,488.03, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half-month of September, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,488.03 in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half-month of September, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pfugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$9,407.50, to pay interest on bonded debt, due September 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$9,407.50, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt, due September 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pfugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$700, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the

Health Fund for the sum of \$700, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Pfugh, Belloff and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$6,466.61, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of August, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$6,466.61, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the last half month of August, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilmen Pfugh, Belloff and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries, of the Fire Department for the first half-month of September, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,953.51, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of September, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pfugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of August, 1912, to the amount of \$5,515.42, when said war-

rants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employes for salaries for the last half month of August, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50; also warrants for the first half month of September, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50 (subject

to correction), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman McFeely.

Councilman Delaney moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Monday, September 9, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, September 9, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pfugh.

Petition from citizens and taxpayers of the vicinity of 355 First street, protesting against the granting of a moving picture license at No. 357 First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

The following petitions were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses: William Gates, A. Salcer, Tony Manzo, Robert Swales, Pasuale Alfano, James Lombardi, P. Yaccarine, Antonio Sanito, Giuseppe Sanfilippi, Buffisso Lazaro, Giovanni Delle Fave, James Monticello, Carlo DeMeno, Domenic Roggi, Giuseppe Alfano.

For porters' licenses: Edward Wortmann, Albert Jackson, B. Bertini, Joseph Roncaglio, J. Henry Timken (2), Frank P. Galli.

For theatre licenses: David Kraus, A. M. Bruggemann.

For moving picture license: W. H. Peck.

For junk licenses: Antonio Palicastro, James Scarella, Isaac Kaiser.

For musicians' licenses: Emil Seib, Heinrich Eckhardt, Philipp Kleeman, Heinrich Theobold, Daniel Hirschfeld, Heinrich Geib.

For hack licenses: Ralph Rocco, Bernard Siedenbug, A. H. Peters, Henry Cordts, Stefano Di Simone.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries: N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service \$36 15

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken Land & Impt. Co. wharfage on public bath for August, 1912... 20 00

Pay roll, labor on parks..... 14 40

Pay roll, labor on parks..... 14 40

Joseph W. Obreiter, preparing plans and specifications for the improvement of Elysian Park..... 595 14

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall 39 75

Edward G. Hoerd, one large American flag for City Hall..... 15 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 515 10

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 441 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 523 20

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 482 70

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 521 70

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 51 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 55 50

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 51 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 51 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, cleaning bains..... 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning bains..... 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning bains..... 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning bains..... 108 00

Pay roll, cleaning bains..... 108 00

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 73 50

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Charles C. Bohn, one set of Legislature bills for Assistant Corporation Attorney 25 00

To the Committee on Alms:

R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor 6 00

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Morris Appel, furniture furnished Ambulance House \$25 00

Thos. M. Abell & Co., supplies for parks 3 73

Thos. M. Abell & Co., scoop furnished Hudson Square Park..... 1 20

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 80 20

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 81 05

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 91 45

W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 59 78

J. Grulich & Sons, grass seed furnished parks 15 00

Hoboken Land & Impt. Co. wharfage of public bath for July, 1912.... 20 00

William Kamlah, supplies furnished Police Headquarters 4 75

James A. Marnell, repairs at Elysian Park 54 75

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks 13 00

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks 17 25

Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies furnished Hudson Square Park..... 23 35

James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks 14 40

Daniel Wallace, repairs at Ambulance House 68 13

Hoboken Land & Impt. Co. wharfage

on public bath for August, 1912...	20 00
Pay roll, labor on parks.....	14 40
Pay roll, labor on parks.....	14 40
Joseph W. Obreiter, preparing plans and specifications for the improvement of Elysian Park.....	595 14
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	39 75
Edward G. Hoerd, one large American flag for City Hall.....	15 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	515 10
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	441 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	523 20
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	482 70
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	521 70
Pay roll, repiaring streets.....	51 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	55 50
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	51 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning bains.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning bains.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning bains.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning bains.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning bains.....	108 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	73 50
Charles C. Bohn, one set of Legislature bills for Assistant Corporation Attorney	25 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished the poor	6 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pflugh.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings for the month of August, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Certificate No. 1 and final, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$2,393, in favor of James Whalen, for services as contractor on Public Comfort Station at Church Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 2 and final, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$164.30, in favor of Max J. Beyer, for services as architect on Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$3,340, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, was

presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$1,000, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, which was presented on July 24, 1912, was, on motion of Councilman Duffy, ordered on file.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 and final, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$2,393, in favor of James Whalen, for services as contractor on Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 2 and final, from Max J. Beyer, architect, for the sum of \$164.30, in favor of Mox J. Beyer, for services as architect on Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$3,340, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals for the improvement of Elysian Park, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Dock Contractor Company, J. P. Lavery, Secretary, the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the improvement of Elysian Park be and the same is hereby awarded to Dock Contractor Company, J. P. Lavery, Secretary, at the price named in their proposal, viz.: Nineteen thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars (\$19,838), and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,

ROBERT J. RATH,
 GEORGE LA POINTE,
 Committee.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Duffy, Rath and LaPointe presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$2,393, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, presented September 9, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and Lapointe presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$164.30, in favor of Max J. Beyer,

architect on the improvement of Public Comfort Station in Church Square Park, as per certificate of Max J. Beyer, architect, presented September 9, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$3,340, in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 9, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Larkin, Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
 City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, September 11, 1912.

Present—None.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, September 25, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely. Communication from the State Board of Health, requesting that plans for proposed sewer system be submitted to the State Board of Health for its approval before bids are received, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Communication from the Columbia-Knickebocker Trust Co., relative to claims for preparing \$17,987.17 Judgment Funding Bonds, and \$350,000 Special Tax Arrearage Bonds, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes, requesting a suitable office room, as the present quarters now occupied by the Board are entirely unfit for use, was presented, read and received.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

James J. Farrell, 25 days' services as

Clerk to Board of Assessors..... \$75 00

Columbia Knickerbocker Trust Co., preparing \$25,000 repaving bonds. 52 00

Columbia Knickerbocker Trust Co., preparing \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds 140 00

Commercial and Financial Chronicle, advertising special tax arrearage bonds 33 00

Columbia Knickerbocker Trust Co., preparing \$17,891.17 judgment funding bonds 85 00

Commercial and Financial Chronicle, advertising park improvement bonds 13 50

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Frank A. Pichetto, music furnished County Park, Sept. 11, 1912..... 80 00

Frank A. Pichetto, music furnished Church Square Park, Aug. 11, 1912 80 00

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

Pay roll, labor in parks..... 14 40

Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels... 6 00

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall..... 20 00

Wm. Schreiber, plumbing work at

Church Square Park.....	275 00
Wm. Schreiber, plumbing work at Church Square Park.....	42 70
Johnston Bros., plumbing repairs at Church Square Park.....	4 50
Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	70 00
John Chapel, cleaning cellar at ambulance house	10 00
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	554 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	475 20
Pay roll, repairing intersection of Madison and Eleventh streets....	139 00
Pay roll, repairing intersection of Madison and Eleventh streets....	163 75
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for month of September, 1912	960 00
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	27 50
Pay roll, cleaning basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning basins.....	108 00
To the Committee on Alms:	
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished the poor	3 00
M. Goldman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Chas. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
Chas. A. Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
L. F. Reilly, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:	
Hoboken, N. J., Sept. 26, 1912.	
To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.	
Gentlemen—I hereby report that Mr. Thocas Cavanagh, contractor, has completed his contract for repairing and cleaning box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets.	
Respectfully yours,	
EUGENE SMITH,	
City Surveyor.	
Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,646.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.	
Requisition from the Board of Fire Com-	

missioners for the sum of \$6,131.87, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of September, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of October, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$1,700, to pay interest on bonded debt due October 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of \$185, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$508.43, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor, for repairing and cleaning box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate No. 2, from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,643.90, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of City Stable, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 14, from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$7,395, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on alteration to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Bond and agreement on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

James H. Fuertes, professional services, etc., in investigation sewers	\$1,879 50
Soney & Sage, four sets of N. J. compiled statutes	100 00

James J. Farrell, 25 days' services as Clerk to Board of Assessors.....	\$75 00
Frank A. Pichetto, music furnished County Park, Sept. 11, 1912.....	80 00
Frank A. Pichetto, music furnished Church Square Park, Aug. 11, 1912	80 00
Pay roll, labor in parks.....	14 40
Pay roll, labor in parks.....	14 40
Mrs. M. Fosdick, washing towels....	6 00
James Cannon, washing towels.....	6 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall.....	20 00
Wm. Schreiber, plumbing work at Church Square Park.....	275 00
Wm. Schreiber, plumbing work at Church Square Park.....	42 70
Johnston Bros., plumbing repairs at Church Square Park.....	4 50
Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	70 00
John Chapel, cleaning cellar at ambulance house	10 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	554 40
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Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for month of September, 1912.	960 00
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning and repairing box drains	27 50
Pay roll, cleaning basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning basins.....	108 00
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished the poor	3 00
M. Goldman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Chas. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
Chas. A. Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
L. F. Reilly, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.	
Nays—None.	

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was

referred certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$508.43, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on repairing and cleaning box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 2, for the sum of \$1,643.90, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of City Stable, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and No. 4 of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, of Schneider and Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$7,395, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for alteration to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the bond and agreement on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said bond and agreement, and directing the City Clerk to return certified check to the Dock Contractor Company.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$508.43, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the improvement of repairs and cleaning of box sewer in Clinton street, between First and Second streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 25 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$7,395, in favor of Paul J. Exner

Company, contractors on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, presented September, 25, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$1,643.90, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of city stable, 116-118 Jackson street, between First and Second streets, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, City Surveyor, presenter September 25, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$1,700, to pay interest on bonded debt due October 1, 1912, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$1,700, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due October 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilmen Rath, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,646.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,646.31, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,131.87, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of September, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$6,131.87, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of September, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Pflugh, Belloff and Luehs presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of October, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,953.51, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of October, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$185, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is

hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$185, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Rlexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilmen Larkin, Rath and Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park be paid at the rate of 5% on the total cost of the work.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following: Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of James Byrnes for the sum of seventy-five dollars for services as special officer at the Free Public Bath for the month of September, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following: Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of September, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$4.02, in favor of Henry Cordts, being a refund of taxes paid by him to the Collector of Revenue, on property known as Block No. 179, Lot No. 1, street number 303 Park avenue, as per decision rendered by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, and reported correct by the Collector of Revenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$60.63, in favor of Henry Cordts, being a refund of taxes paid by him as agent to the Collector of Revenue upon the properties known as Block No. 177, Lots 3, 4, 5, Nos. 214, 216, 218 First street, as per decision rendered by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, and reported correct by the Collector of Revenue.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for the month of September, 1912, to the amount of \$5,512.42; also warrants for the quarter ending September 30, 1912, to the amount of \$4,375, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of September, 1912, to the amount of \$775, also warrants for the first half month of October, 1912, to the amount of \$775 (subject to correction) when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe and McFeely.

Councilman Duffy moved that when the Board adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, October 2, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, October 2, 1912.

Present--Councilmen Duffy and Rath.

Absent--Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Lar-
kin, LaPointe, Lüehs, McFeely, Pflugh and
Chairman Anderson.

There being no quorum present the Clerk
declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, October 9, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Pfugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the reading of the minutes of August 28, September 9, 11, 25, and October 2, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Invitation to be present at the Italian-American celebration, to be held on Saturday, October 12, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Petition from citizens and taxpayers, protesting against the granting of a moving picture license on the corner of Washington and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Petition from residents, storekeepers and taxpayers on First street, requesting the Mayor and Council to provide means of keeping dust down on said street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Petition from Philip Gottlieb, requesting Mayor and Council to transfer moving picture license from 357 First street, to 500 Adams street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Petition in the matter of the application of the New Jersey Junction Railway Company, for cancellation, etc., of certain taxes in the city of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, protesting against the Dock Contractor Company, of the unnecessary excavating that they are doing in Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from George W. Rurode, attorney for citizens and taxpayers, requesting the revocation of the moving picture license at 357 First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Petition of Hilke Realty Company, No. 607 Washington street, for a license for moving pictures, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

The following claims were presented, read

and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries.	
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon for inspector of weights and measures	24 00
F. N. Eberhard and John H. Sheridan, taxed costs in case of George Gonzales vs. the Mayor and Council	60 22
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2.....	100 00
Leo Mayer, insurance on ambulance House	50 00
Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co., moving safes in Collectors office.....	22 00
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.	
Henry Bishop, supplies furnished parks	72 89
Henry Bishop, supplies furnished Second Precinct	37 36
Henry Bishop, one flag for Public Bath	4 50
Henry Bishop, supplies furnished Police Headquarters	17 24
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon in parks	30 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., repairing carpet in Recorder's Court....	1 00
Fagan Iron Works, repairs to park benches	8 05
Fagan Iron Works, repairs to park benches	11 95
Fagan Iron Works, park benches....	90 00
Fagan Iron Works, park benches....	90 00
Fagan Iron Works, park benches....	90 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall	10 00
Henry Muller, repairs, at ambulance house	81 45
Henry Muller, supplies furnished parks	5 00
Hoboken Land and Improvement Co., wharfage of Public Bath for September, 1912	20 00
C. & H. Electric Co., repairs at Second Precinct	48 40
J. E. Kenna, keys, locks, etc., furnished City Hall	16 10
Chas. Schultz & Sons, sand furnished Elysian Park	11 00
Edward L. Norwood, repairing steam boiler, etc., at Second Precinct..	97 75
Alex G. Wood, music furnished Church Square Park, September 1, 1912	70 00
James Smith, Treasurer, pay roll, labor on parks, week.....	14 40
James Smith, Treasurer, pay roll labor on parks, week.....	24 00
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	

Mrs. M. Clark, repairs for Street Department	8 00
Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses.....	54 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the first half month of October, 1912.....	480 00
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for Street Department	18 60
A. Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	25 75
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	39 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	480 90
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Board of Water Commissioners, 48 feet 8-inch iron pipe.....	42 36
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	25 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	34 95
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
John Zang, repairs for Sewer Department	5 40
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
Hudson Observer, binding and lettering 20 copies of laws of 1912.....	45 00
Hudson Observer, supplies furnished Assessors	45 60
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	70 25
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	3 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	12 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.....	20 80
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Street Commissioner.....	36 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Treasurer.....	38 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	42 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Poormaster	6 50
Hudson Observer, printing minutes of Excise Board	12 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Sept. 2, 9 and Oct. 2, 1912.....	73 90
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Aug. 28 and Sept. 9, 1912.....	170 90
Remington Typewriter Co., repairing typewriter	1 25
Underwood Typewriter Co., one typewriter for City Treasurer.....	95 00
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for April, May and June.....	40 30
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for July, 1912	6 20

Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for August, 1912	3 20
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for September, 1912	32 90
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for July, 1912.....	1,887 50
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for August, 1912	1,882 46
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for September, 1912.....	1,887 50
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for July, 1912.....	312 53
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for August, 1912	277 64
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for September, 1912.....	283 69
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	67 80
To the Committee on Alms:	
S. Cadematori, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
C. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
Wm. O'Neill, conveying homeless to Almshouse	5 00
E. Mappar, acre of homeless.....	5 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	85 00

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

September 23, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I communicated with your Honorable Body under date of November 24, 1908, and again under date of July 23, 1909, and again under date of December 13, 1911, and again under date of April 6, 1912, with reference to the suits instituted in behalf of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken against Michael M. Murphy, John Bruning, Martin Steljes and Theophilus Butts. Said suits were instituted on January 5, 1888, to recover the amount of the defalcation of the bond of Michael H. Murphy, former Registrar of this city. I referred in my letter of November 24, 1908, to the final report of my predecessor in office, Honorable James F. Minturn (former Corporation Attorney of the City of Hoboken, and now Justice of the Supreme Court), to your Honorable Body, dated August 28, 1907, wherein he

says that owing to complications then existing, it might be advisable for your Honorable Body to consider the question of compromising said claims, as the most expeditious way of finally disposing of them. In my said letter I stated to your Honorable Body that because of many complications, legal and otherwise, confronting the city at that time, which complications are apparent to me at this writing, I would join with the former Corporation Attorney in recommending the compromise of said suits, if such could be effected. I further stated that should your Honorable Body determine that the litigation should be continued, you authorize me to employ such expert accountants as I might deem advisable to properly prepare the city's case and present the same to the court for final determination. I beg leave to refer your Honorable Body to the aforesaid communication of the former Corporation Attorney and to my communication of November 24, 1908.

After considerable negotiations towards a compromise of said suits, John Bruning, in his own behalf, and John S. Mabon, representing the estate of Theophilus Butts, have together offered to me to make payment to the city of the sum of \$4,600 for a release of any and all claims which the city may have against said parties, or either of them.

Owing to the lapse of time since the commencement of said suits, the probable difficulty of securing the attendance of necessary witnesses, the necessity for the employment of expert accountants and the expense which would be incurred thereby, I advise your Honorable Body to accept from the aforesaid parties the said sum of \$4,600, and to execute, in consideration thereof, a full release to said parties of any and all claims which the city may have against them.

The acceptance of said sum of money from said parties would not in anywise operate as a discharge of the city's case against Martin Steljes and the executors of his estate.

I would thank you to give this matter due consideration and advise me of your wishes in the premises.

Respectfully,
JNO. J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

October 2, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen,—I have been requested by the architect to remove the city records from the vault in which they are now located, as he wishes to proceed and break down the walls thereof, and also use the space occu-

pled by said vault, to build the stairway leading to the upper floor.

This vault contains valuable records of the city from the time of its incorporation, March 28, 1855, including the former township records, some of which I am often called upon to produce before the Courts.

Section 20 of the City Charter provides, "That the City Clerk shall, in addition to the duties in this Act required of him, have charge of all the records, books, papers, and documents of the city, except when the Council shall, by ordinance otherwise direct.

I have repeatedly, time and time again, called the attention of the architect to the importance of this matter, and requested him to fit up one of the vaults on the lower floor, and also to provide same with an inner steel door on the inside, and a heavy combination safe door on the outside, which, up to the present time, has not been done, therefore, leaving me no place to store said records, etc., safely.

I therefore respectfully request your Honorable Body to take action in this matter and have same attended to as soon as possible.

If your Honorable Body shall order this work done you will relieve me of a responsibility now imposed upon me by law, so, if any of the records should happen to get lost throughout their transmission I would not be held accountable therefor.

Very respectfully,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

Report of Inspector of Buildings Cummings, for the month of September, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisitions from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,446.37, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of October, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of \$1,000, to pay current expenses of said board was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of \$492.52, to pay current expenses of said board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$1,880, in favor the Standard Bitulithic Company, for services as contractors on the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Plans and report of James H. Fuertes,

Civil Engineer, on the sewerage and drainage of the city of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

An ordinance to provide for the licensing, regulation and control of the business of making or giving advancements or loans of money or other things of value and of taking or receiving as collateral security therefor, pledges of personal property, chattel mortgages or assignments of salary or wages, or power of attorney authorizing the execution of such assignment of salary or wages and fixing the license fees therefor, and to raise revenue by means of license fees, to be imposed upon such business, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on August 28, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen La Pointe, Pflugh and Rath.

An ordinance to provide for the licensing, regulation and control of the business of making or giving advancements or loans of money or other things of value and of taking or receiving as collateral security therefor pledges of personal property, chattel mortgages or assignments of salary or wages, or power of attorney authorizing the execution of such assignment of salary or wages, and fixing the license fees to be imposed upon such business, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on August 28, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen LaPointe, Pflugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Henry Bishop, supplies furnished parks	72 80
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon in parks	30 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., repairing carpet in Recorder's Court....	1 00
Henry Muller, repairs at ambulance house	81 45
Henry Muller, supplies furnished parks	5 00
C. & H. Electric Co., repairs at Second Precinct	48 40
Alex G. Wood, music furnished Church Square Park, September 1, 1912	70 00
James Smith, Treasurer, pay roll, labor on parks, week.....	14 40
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Mrs. M. Clark, shoeing horses.....	54 00
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Board of Water Commissioners, 48 feet of eight-inch iron pipe....	42 36
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S. Cadematori, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
C. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50

Wm. O'Neill, conveying homeless to
 Almshouse 5 00
 E. Mappar, acre of homeless..... 5 00
 John F. O'Hara, burial of poor..... 85 00

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$1,880, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for services as contractors on the repaving of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the petition from Philip Gottlieb, requesting the Council to transfer his moving picture license from 357 First street to 500 Adams street, reported in favor of granting said transfer.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen Delaney, Belloff, Larkin and McFeely presented the following:

Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred map and report of James H. Fierst, Civil Engineer, for sewerage and drainage of the City of Hoboken, beg leave to report in favor that the report be received and the City Clerk be directed to have 500 copies of same printed in pamphlet form for free distribution.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen Belloff and LaPointe presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,446.37, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of October, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,446.37, in

favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of October, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$1,000, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$1,000, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$492.52, to pay current expenses of said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Appropriation Fund for the sum of \$492.52, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expense of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$1,880 in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That John Lewis be and he is hereby appointed Inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park at a salary of \$3.50 per day, to be certified by the Engineer in charge.

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to turn over to the various city officers and departments all records now in his charge (and belonging to said departments) and remove the remained from the vault in which they are now, to the new vaults built for that purpose in the lower floor of the City Hall.

Adopter by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law, for the furnishing and erection of seven (7) new vault doors, and placing of one now there, in the City Hall, as per specifications furnished by the architects in charge.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, October 23, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the Council held on October 9, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the furnishing and equipment of seven vault front doors and the transfer of one in the City Hall, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings: From Diebold Safe and Lock Co.:

We propose to furnish you seven vault doors, style R, delivered and set in wall openings, masonry work excluded, for the sum of \$440.

From Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co.:

We will contract to deliver and set in place and reset one old vault door now in City Clerk's office, City Hall, Hoboken, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

7 sets of No. 20 doors with angle bolt frame, \$441.

Or 7 sets vault doors No. 21 with bar frame, \$539.

Price includes replacnig of door now in City Celrk's office.

From Fagan Iron Works:

We will contract to furnish seven vault fronts and transfer one vault front, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Seven vault doors with angle frame and remove present door for \$465.

Seven vault doors with bar frame and remove present door for \$660.

From the Hall Safe Co.:

We will contract to furnish and erect seven vault fronts and transfer one front in building, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

With angle frames for \$425.

With bar frames for \$600.

Invitation to attend the annual ball of the Water Front Mutual Aid, to be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Thursday, October 31, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Invitation to attend the ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, to be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Thursday, October 24, 1912, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the Board of Education, requesting the Mayor and Council to replace the present pavement on Fourth and Bloomfield streets with some noiseless pavement, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

John D. Pierson, attorney, taxed costs	\$31 45
James J. Farrell, 27 days' services as Clerk to Assessors.....	81 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Cannon, washing towels.....	6 00
Dehls & Stein, one barrel of disinfectant for Police Headquarters:..	66 25
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Second Precinct	15 05
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Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	70 00
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James Smith, Treasurer, labor in City Hall	69 00
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James Smith, Treasurer, labor in parks	28 80
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To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of October, 1912.....	480 00
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A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	66 21
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Charles Kortlang, supplies furnished Street Department	11 56
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Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
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Wm. Kochendorfer, new sweeper blocks, etc.....	80 00
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C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	21 10
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J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Street Department	4 40
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Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	501 60
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Pay roll, repairs to streets.....	47 50
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John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	77 15
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To the Committee on Sewers:	
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00

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and covers	25 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	35 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	24 80
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	18 90
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	58 65
To the Committee on Alms:	
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Mrs. Thomas Docken, groceries furnished the poor.....	3 00
C. Ficke, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Mary Fosdick, conveying homeless to Almshouse	5 00
W. Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished the poor.....	10 00

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$358.57, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer, for repairs on asphalt pavement for 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$8,964.35, in favor of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, for repairs to asphalt pavement for the year 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 3 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,848.75, in favor of James Whalen, for services as contractor on city stable, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 15 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$7,522, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, for services as contractor on alterations to City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,430, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 2 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$7,060, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for the improvement of Monroe street, between First street and Newark avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 2 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$6,690, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$36, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the improvement of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$433.28, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Monroe street, between First street and Newark avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$360.61, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$102.42, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Specifications for the furnishing and the erection of seven new vault fronts and doors and the transfer of present vault door in the City Hall was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Agreement between the Hudson County Commission and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,744.81, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of October, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$7,137.69, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of October, 1912, was

presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of November, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$11,260.22, to pay interest on bonded debt due November 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and salaries.

An ordinance providing for the license of cabarets or restaurants where vaudeville or theatrical entertainment is furnished.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Edward L. Norwood, repairing steam boiler, etc., at Second Precinct....	\$97 75
Dickson Brothers, basin head and sill	38 00
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James J. Farrell, 27 days' services as Clerk to Assessors.....	81 00
James Cannon, washing towels....	6 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
Lawrence Pendergast, 28 days' services as acting janitor of City Hall	70 00
James Smith, Treasurer, labor in City Hall	69 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of October, 1912.....	480 00
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department	63 21
Charles Kortlang, supplies furnished Street Department	11 56
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
Wm. Kochendorfer, new sweeper	

blocks, etc.....	80 00
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	21 10
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Street Department	4 40
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	501 60
Pay roll, repairs to streets.....	47 50
John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	77 15
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N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
A. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Mary Fosdick, conveying homeless to Almshouse	5 00
W. Wordelmann, bread tickets furnished the poor.....	10 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the specifications for the furnishing and the erection of seven new vault fronts and doors, and the transfer of present vault door in the City Hall, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said specifications.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the agreement between the Hudson County Park Commission and the Mayor

and Council of the City of Hoboken, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said agreement and requesting His Honor the Mayor to sign the same in behalf of the city.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 3, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,848.75, in favor of James Whalen for services as contractor on city stable, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificates No. 15, from Schneider and Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$7,522.50, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company for services as contractor on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$36 in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the improvement of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirtieth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$433.28, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Monroe street, between First street and Newark avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$360.61, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final, for the sum of \$102.42, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and

Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 2, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$6,690, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 2 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$7,060, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of Monroe street, between First street and Newark avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,430, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals for the seven vault fronts, doors and the transfer of, one, with angle frame, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Hall Safe Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the seven vault front doors and the transfer of one, with angle frames, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Hall Safe Company at the price named in their proposal, viz: \$425; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,
GEORGE LA POINTE,
JAMES G. LARKIN,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chair-

man Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Whereas, The records of the Collector of Revenue of the City of Hoboken show unpaid taxes for the year 1909 against the property formerly owned by the estate of John G. Wendell, which said property was acquired by the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken through condemnation proceedings; and

Whereas, The title to said property became vested in the Board of Education of the City Hoboken on July 21, 1909, and prior to the assessment of said property for taxes for the year 1909; and

Whereas, Publis school property is by law exempt from taxation;

Resolved, That the Colletcor of Revenue be and he is hereby directed to forthwith cancel and discharge upon his records the amount of taxes in question, as shown by the following statement thereof:

Bill No.	Block.	Lot.	No. Street.	Street.	Land.	Building.	Total.	Amount
21	191	29	400	Bloomfield	\$3,000 00	\$3,200 00	\$6,200 00	\$106 88
23	191	28	402	Bloomfield	2,500 00	1,200 00	3,700 00	63 78
25	191	27	404	Bloomfield	2,700 00	1,200 00	3,900 00	67 23
26	191	26	406	Bloomfield	3,000 00	1,200 00	4,200 00	72 40
27	191	25	408	Bloomfield	3,000 00	2,000 00	5,000 00	86 20
29	191	24/23	410/414	Bloomfield	7,900 00	1,000 00	8,900 00	153 43
96	191	1/2	401/403	Garden	6,000 00	1,000 00	7,000 00	120 68
98	191	3/4	405/407	Garden	4,800 00	200 00	5,000 00	86 20
99	191	7	409	Garden	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	51 72
100	191	8	411	Garden	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	51 72
101	191	9	413	Garden	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	51 72
102	191	10/11	415/417	Garden	8,000 00	.....	8,000 00	137 92
1231	191	30	154	Fourth	1,200 00	600 00	1,800 00	31 03
1232	191	21	156	Fourth	2,400 00	1,000 00	3,400 00	58 61
1233	191	6	158	Fourth	2,400 00	500 00	2,900 00	49 99
1234	191	5	160	Fourth	2,800 00	1,400 00	4,200 00	72 40
					\$58,700 00	\$14,500 00	\$73,200 00	\$1,261 91

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff and Rath presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,744.81, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of October, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,744.81 in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of October, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the

Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$7,137.69, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of October, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$7,137.69 in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, City Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of October, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,953.51, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of November, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,953.51 in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, City

Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of November, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$11,260.22, to pay interest on bonded debt due November 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$11,260.22, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due November 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$7,522.50 in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$1,848.75, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of City Stable, 116-118 Jackson street, between First and Second streets, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$102.42, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer,

on the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$2,430, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Hudson street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$7,060, in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Monroe street, between Newark avenue and First street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$6,690 in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for

\$360.61 in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Clinton street, between First and Third street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$433.28, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Monroe street, between First street and Newark avenue, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$36 in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the improvement of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 23, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of October, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars (\$5), to the order of

Joseph H. Cummings, Inspector of Buildings, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Duffy, Larkin and Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the furnishing, installation and equipment of lighting fixtures for the City Hall, according to plans and specifications as prepared by Schneider and Dieffenbach, architects, in charge, and now on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of October, 1912, to the amount of \$5,515.42, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of October, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50; also warrants for the first half month of November, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50 (subject to correction), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Rath, and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, November 13, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the session held on October 23, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for light fixtures for the City Hall were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From the Mitchell Vance Co.:

We will contract to install equipment of lighting fixtures for the City Hall, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: Complete for the sum of \$5,150.

From Lahr & Co.:

We will contract to furnish and put up, according to the advertisement, specifications and plan for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$5,525.

From F. Storsberg Co.:

We will contract to furnish and install all lighting fixtures, glassware and lamps, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$3,933.

From the Art Craft Fixture Co.:

We will contract to furnish and install the lighting fixtures according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$4,181.

From Cassidy & Son Mfg. Co.:

We will contract to furnish and install lighting fixtures, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$4,763.

From Roeser & Sommer Co.:

We will contract to do said work, including all labor and material required, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices: \$4,975.

Petition from employees of the Marine Department, Penn shops, requesting an opening at the rear of Stevens estate, on the River Road, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from the Hoboken Cemetery Trustees, notifying the Council of the appointment of Ivins D. Applegate as Secretary, in place of Lewis R. McCulloch, who was removed, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that exempt firemen's certificates be granted to Terence Foley and Dennis D. Sullivan, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from T. W. Dorsett Co., requesting the Council to retain the sum of \$1,037.17 from Paul J. Exner Co., contractors on rebuilding of City Hall, for sheet metal work and roofing on City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Dr. W. T. Kudlich, official expenses to Washington, D. C.	\$57 00
N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service to November, 1912	40 50
N. Y. Pasteur Institute, treatment of May Murphy	25 00
James Smith, Treasurer, Health Inspector, reporting contagious diseases	55 60
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:	
Morris Appel, supplies, etc., furnished Ambulance House	12 75
Fagan Iron Works, iron gates for ladies' toilet in Hudson Square Park	35 00
Fagan Iron Works, railings furnished at Church Square Park	88 80
Hoboken Land and Impt. Co., warfage of Public Bath for October, 1912	20 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	77 75
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	102 50
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Ambulance House	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished parks	33 99
James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80

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To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Mrs. Mary Clark, shoeing horses...	46 50
Mrs. Mary Clark, repairs for Street Department	9 25
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for first half-month of November, 1912	480 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Stable	2 00
Louis Stern, removing dead animals, for the quarter ending November 1, 1912	125 00
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Pay roll, cleaning streets	383 70
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Joseph Thomas, cutting down trees	15 00
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
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Pay roll, relieving drains, N. W. section of city	21 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	20 50
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
New Inquirer, publishing ordinance regulating loan companies	16 56
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue.....	87 50
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Hudson Observer, publishing proposals, lighting fixtures for City Hall	21 00
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for vault doors at City Hall	16 80
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance regulating loan companies.	16 56

Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of October 9, 1912	79 50
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of October 23, 1912	102 00
To the Committee on Alms:	
Mrs. E. Miehle, groceries furnished poor	9 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished poor.	24 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished poor	24 00
H. Rehm, groceries furnished poor.	12 00
Louis Larsen, groceries furnished poor	3 00
Fred. Luis, groceries furnished poor	12 00
Henry Helfst, groceries furnished poor	21 00
Herman Schrader, groceries furnished poor	3 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished poor	6 00
United Aid Home, care of homeless	18 50
James McLaughlin, burial of poor..	20 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished poor	2 00
The following communication was presented, read and received:	

City Clerk's Office,

Hoboken, N. J., November 15, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—A petition was filed with me on October 3rd, 1912, signed by at least one hundred taxpayers of the City of Hoboken, petitioning for the submission to the legal voters of the City of Hoboken at the General Election, Tuesday, November 5th, 1912, the question of the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 210 of the Laws of New Jersey, Session of 1907, entitled 'An act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway in any city which has been heretofore improved, and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement,' approved May 15th, 1907, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act.

In compliance with said petition and pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act, I caused public notice of the time and place of such election and the purpose thereof to be given by advertisements published for five insertions in "The Hudson Observer," one of the official newspapers of the City of Hoboken, at least ten days previous to November 5th, 1912, the date of such election, to wit, that the legal voters of the City of Hoboken should have submitted to them at the General Election, Tuesday, November

5th, 1912, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 7 p m., at the various polling places throughout the City of Hoboken, the question of the adoption of the act of the Legislature hereinabove mentioned. I annex hereto proof of the publication of the aforesaid notice in said newspaper.

At said General Election, held November 5th, 1912, a majority of the votes recorded as having voted upon the question submitted as aforesaid, voted in favor of the adoption of said act.

The following is a particular statement of the result of said election, on the question of the adoption of the aforesaid act:

FIRST WARD.

	Yes.	No.
First District	147	27
Second District	74	27
Third District	126	30
Fourth District	60	77
Fifth District	37	35
Sixth District	100	24
Seventh District	40	24
Eighth District	22	38
	606	282

SECOND WARD.

First District	77	33
Second District	98	70
Third District	79	83
Fourth District	118	125
Fifth District	76	60
Sixth District	71	54
Seventh District	114	68
	633	493

THIRD WARD.

First District	87	60
Second District	88	27
Third District	93	57
Fourth District	93	29
Fifth District	115	17
Sixth District	92	16
Seventh District	83	38
Eighth District	74	51
Ninth District	41	43
Tenth District	40	38
	806	366

FOURTH WARD.

First District	35	25
Second District	66	39
Third District	78	23
Fourth District	61	48
Fifth District	52	42
Sixth District	52	49
Seventh District	54	31
Eighth District	47	28
Ninth District	72	20
Tenth District	39	39
Eleventh District	65	35
	621	379

FIFTH WARD.

First District	115	86
Second District	95	93
Third District	114	100
Fourth District	83	65
Fifth District	95	58
Sixth District	65	60
Seventh District	83	61
Eighth District	74	56
Ninth District	96	38
	820	617

RECAPITULATION.

	Yes.	No.
Grand total	3486	2137
Respectfully submitted,		

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

November 13, 1912.

Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Mr. George L. Tullock, the purchaser of the property 84 Jackson street, this day turned over to me his check for the sum of \$3,175, the balance of the purchase price, having heretofore paid Mr. Tissot \$350.

This check was delivered to the City Treasurer to be deposited to the credit of the city, and I herewith submit a deed to be executed by the Mayor and City Clerk on behalf of the city.

I also submit a resolution for passage.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE L. ALLEN,
Asst. Corporation Attorney.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 1, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 9 a. m. August 1, 1912, and ending 4 p. m. October 31, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:

Arrears of taxes of 1903, principal and interest.....	\$7 66
Arrears of taxes of 1904, principal and interest.....	72 08
Arrears of taxes of 1905, principal and interest.....	107 01
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest.....	93 28
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest.....	303 36
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest.....	653 07

Arrears of taxes of 1909, principal and interest.....	1,010 57
Arrears of taxes of 1910, principal and interest.....	2,923 75
Arrears of taxes of 1911, principal and interest.....	17,872 46

\$23,043 24

Second class R. R. property:	
Second class R. R. property of 1907, principal	\$9,557 56
Second class R. R. property of 1908, principal	10,106 35
Second class R. R. property of 1909, principal	11,538 68
Second class R. R. property of 1910, principal	12,060 74
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	43,263 33
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	\$86,306 57

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of taxes..	\$23,043 24
Total second-class R. R. property	43,263 33
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	66,306 57

Paid James Smith, City Treasurer \$66,306 57
 Respectfully submitted,
 RICHARD BOWES,
 Collector of Revenue.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney:

November 13th, 1912.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—I beg to advise your Honorable body that on November 1st, 1912, there came due Police Department 4½ per cent. Bonds of the City of Hoboken, \$24,000, for the redemption of which the Sinking Fund had \$7,296.

It therefore became necessary to borrow the balance necessary to redeem the bonds at the First National Bank, for which the city issued its note, \$16,704.

It will be necessary for your Honorable by a refunding bond issue for the amount mentioned, viz, \$16,704, which I would request you to do.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES SMITH,
 City Treasurer.

Report of Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Report of Joseph H. Cummings, Inspector of Buildings, for the month of October, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Certificate No. 4 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$618.68, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for building of City Stable at 116-118 Jackson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 16, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,146, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for alterations on City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$4,000, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 2, from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$54, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1, from Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer, for the sum of \$6,345.25, in favor of the Dock Contracting Company, contractors on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1, from Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer, for the sum of \$101.50, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 2, from Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer, for the sum of \$126.91, in favor of Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Bond of Edward Carroll as Water Commissioner, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Plans and specifications for labor and materials required for the furnishing, installing and connecting of lighting fixtures in the City Hall, was presented and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,610.77, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the

first half month of November, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$500, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

An ordinance providing for the license of cabarets or restaurants where vaudeville or theatrical entertainment is furnished, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on October 23, 1912.

Councilman Larkin moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Larkin then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

An ordinance to provide for the care, cleaning and maintenance of the City Hall, First Precinct Police Station, City Prison and Armory, and to establish and provide for the appointment of a Custodian of the City Hall and his assistants and to define their duties.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

An ordinance providing for the license of cabarets or restaurants where vaudeville or theatrical entertainmen is furnished, which was presented, read and passed its first reading at a stated session of the Council held on October 23, 1912, and which was presented, and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Presnet—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following applications, reported the same correct:

For peddlers' licenses: Tony Carando, John Pepe, John Pavlosky, Patrick Mulvaney, Harry Bander, J. H. Wiegerink, Andreas Bermudes, Frank Di Martino, Luigi Mandiallo, Diadato Apicella, Tomaso Martinello, Frank Valonvell, Carmine Silvestris, Sun Quong Lung & Co., William Stripp, Pietro Venezia, Giovanni Muescanti, Gieseppe Marcione, Francesco Sagristano, Luco Schisano, Luigi Demai, Andeninio Terminiello, Giuseppe Dinaccio, Tacherino Ronato, Nicholas Cachenis, Martin Josephy, A. Salcer, Antonio Sanito, Giuseppe Sanfilippi, Tony Manzo, Wm. Gates, P. Yaccarine, Pasquale Alfano, Robert Swales, James Lombardi, Giuseppe Alfano, Domenico Roggi, Carlo DeMeno, Paul Marrone, Giovanni Delle Fave, James Monticello, Buffisso Lazzaro, John Katsenez, Marco Aurigemma, John Provitere, Antonio Etarginzo, John Laido, John Bertotti, Swift & Co., Antonio Pelley, Giovanni Pasquaza, Philip Cameran, Giacomo Vittosi.

For porters' licenses: August Moos, John Repko, Morris Bauman, A. Wortmann, H. S. Rodgers, Erie Railroad Co. (2), John Grimmer, Frank P. Galli, J. Henry Timken (2), B. Bertini, Joseph Roncaglio, Albert Jackson, Frank Cecana, Edward Wortmann, James Murphy, Louis Hafner, Nathan Lowitz, Abraham Stern.

For junkmen's licenses: Antonio Giordano, Jacob Kaplan, Lehman Bros., Constantino Russo, Giovanni Lisa, Antonio Palicastro, Giuseppe Giordano, James Scarella, Salvatori Nasti, Gaetano Migliacci, Michele Liquadria, Louis Engler, Isaac Kaiser, John Naporano, Pasquale Orlando, Aemdeo Guzzi, Carmine Laino, Patrick Sullivan.

For express licenses: Emil A. Puruckherr, Stefano Di Simone, New Jersey Transfer and Baggage Express, Inc.

For truckmen's licenses: Tony Moinzo, Henry Cordts, New Jersey Transfer and Baggage Express, Inc., Charles Hansen, Campbell Stores (8).

For employment agency licenses: Mrs.

Pauline Dorfer, Fred Seufert, Edward Messner, Otto Aeschbach.

For auctioneers' licenses: C. A. Tissot, Morris Apped.

For second-hand dealers' licenses: Louis Loffler, Theodor Moeller, G. Koskeker, Solomon Ritter, Harris Greenberg, John Mahoney John Bothwick.

For musicians' licenses: Peter Kleeman, Dietrich Eberle, Louis Paggal, Francesco Ferrari, Rudolf Kuhlvetter, Karl Muller, Philipp Kleemann, Wilhelm Muller, Jakob Raab, Heinrich Eckhart, Emil Gieb, Filomena Pacitti, Friedrich Feickert, Peter Greilach, Heinrich Hess, John Schneider, Daniel Hirschfeld, Heinrich Geib, Heinrich Theobold.

For hackmen's licenses: Wm. O'Neill, Theodore Brown (2), Ralph Rocco (2), James J. Flaherty (2), Herbert C. Lloyd, August Cordes, Joseph Bellens, Hoboken Auto Renting Co., Anton Lercari, John Schaeffer, Wm. Disch (2), Gus Olson, Peter Porcelli, A. H. Peters, Bernhard Seidenburg, Richard Bohm, Chas. W. Thomas, James Kadien, Peter Bellens, Fred Reynolds, Theo. Wandt, Edward Fitzgerald.

For pawnbroker's licenses: Andrew L. Findlay, Daniel Cohn, David Mayer.

For theatre licenses: Nicholas M. Schenck, David Kraus, A. M. Bruggemann.

For moving picture licenses: Andrew Serventi, F. C. Roesch, W. H. Peck, Charles Guilloud, Frank P. Daley, Isaac Schniewies.

For billposters' license: Hoboken Billposting Co.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the licenses granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following application, reported the same correct:

For moving picture license: Hilke Realty Co.

On motion of Councilman Belloff the report was received and the license granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs and Chairman Anderson.

Nay—Councilman McFeely.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The various committees report the following claims correct:

Thos. M. Abell, one dozen shovels.. \$10 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and
wagon for Inspector of Weights
and Measures 24 00

Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	18 90
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	58 65
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of September 11 and 25 and October 2, 1912.....	73 90
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of August 28 and September 9, 1912	170 90
Hudson Observer, printing minutes of Excise Board	12 50
Hudson Observer, binding and lettering (20) copies of Laws of 1912....	45 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Street Commissioner.....	36 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Poormaster	6 50
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	42 00
Hudson Observer, stationery furnished City Treasurer	38 00
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Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	12 50
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United Aid Home, care of homeless	18 50
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George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished poor	8 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 4 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$618.68, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects on the building of city stable, at 116-118 Jackson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 16 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,146, in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects on alterations to City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$4,000, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for the repaving of Willow avenue between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 2 from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$34, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$6,345.25, in favor of the Dock Contractor Company, contractors on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred certificate No. 1 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$101.50, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred certificate

No. 2 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$126.91, in favor of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water to whom was referred the communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that firemen's exempt certificates be granted to Terance Foley and Dennis D. Sullivan, reported in favor of granting said certificates.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings to whom was referred the plans and specifications for labor and materials required for the furnishing, installing and connecting of lighting fixtures in the City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals for the furnishing, installing and connecting lighting fixtures in City Hall, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of F. Storsberg Co. the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing, installing and connecting lighting fixtures in City Hall, be and the same is hereby awarded to F. Storsberg Co., at the price named in their proposal, viz.: three thousand nine hundred and thirty-three dollars (\$3,933); and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,

JAMES G. LARKIN,

GEORGE LA POINTE,

Committee.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of John F. Callahan, Clerk of the Recorder's Court, for the sum of five dollars, for postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), to pay city's share of expense for the conducting of the Primary and General Election he'd for the year 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$126.91 in favor of Joseph Obreiter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, on Hudson street and Castle Point Terrace, as per certificate of Joseph Obreiter, engineer, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$6,345.25 in favor of Dock Contractor Company, contractors on the improvement of Elysian Park, on Hudson street and Castle Point Terrace, as per certificate of Joseph Obreiter, engineer, presented November 13, 1912 and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$101.50 in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, on Hudson street and Castle Point Terrace, as per certificate of Joseph Obreiter, engineer, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$618.68 in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, on the improvement of city stable, 116-118 Jackson street, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$1,144 in favor of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects on the improvement of City Hall alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$54 in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the improvement of Willow avenue, from end of asphalt to Thirteenth street, as per certificate of Eumene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$4,000

in favor of Standard Bitulithic Paving Company, on the improvement of Willow avenue, from end of asphalt to Thirteenth street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 13, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen Luehs, Duffy and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$500, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$500, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilmen LaPointe, Belloff and Anderson presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,610.77, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of November, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,610.77, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of November, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Whereas, The following balances, unexpended, appear in the following funds on May 6, 1912; and

Whereas, It is necessary to put money in the fund for City Hall alterations, for the furnishing and equipment of said building; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the following amounts from the following funds be and the same are hereby transferred to the fund for City Hall alterations:

Funds:	
Premium on City Hall bonds.....	\$6,852 90
Interest on arrears of taxes, Collector	4,904 76
The United Aid Society.....	1,000 00
Interest on daily bank balances, Treasurer	1,149 82

Making a total..... \$13,907 48
and be it further

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to make the necessary transfers on his books accordingly.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the Mayor and City Clerk execute on behalf of the City of Hoboken the full covenant and warranty deed prepared by the Assistant Corporation Attorney, and that said deed be delivered to Mr. George L. Tullock, upon receipt by the City of Hoboken of the purchase price heretofore agreed upon.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That a ninety working day extension be granted to the Dock Contractor Co. on the time for completion of the Elysian Park Improvement, which work has been delayed by the "railroad car shortage" on the railroad systems which transport supplies and materials used in construction work on said park.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to the following, viz.: Art Craft Fixture Co., Cassidy Manufacturing Co., Roesen & Sommer, Lahr & Co., and Mitchell Vance Co., their checks for five hundred dollars (\$500) each, deposited with their bids for lighting fixtures for the City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That John P. Kehoe be and he is hereby appointed as Park Keeper of the City of Hoboken, to fill vacancy of Michael Shields, deceased.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Whereas, Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, has been heretofore paved and improved, and an assessment for benefits for such paving and making such improvement has been heretofore levied and imposed upon the property specially benefited by said improvement, and said Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, has become out of repair and has fallen in such condition that it is now the opinion of the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, being the governing body of said city, that it would be of greater advantage to remake, repave and reimprove that portion of Adams street between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the city of Hoboken, therefore be it

Resolved, That Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, be repaved with the present blocks on concrete base; that the sidewalks be relaid and the curbs thereof be reset, and we do hereby decide that it is necessary to make the aforesaid improvement; and be it further

Resolved, That Richard Boyer, engineer, be and he is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the repavement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and that after the drawing of said plans and specifications and the filing of the same with the City Clerk, the City Clerk shall advertise according to law for proposals or bids for the making of such improvement.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Pflugh and Rath.

On motion of Councilman aLrkin the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, November 27, 1912.

Present — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeeley, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the Council, held on November 13, 1912, was dispensed with, and they were approved as printed.

Communication from Harris, Forbes & Co., relative to the purchase of \$350,000, Tax Arrearage Bonds, that they could not in any way be legally issued, and requesting the Council to pay them \$50.00, for services as counsel fees; was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

P. J. Murray, incidentals.....	\$1 70
J. H. Kruse, insurance on City Stable	23 24
James J. Farrell, 26 days services as clerk to Assessors.....	78 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon for Ins. of Weights and Measures	28 00
Water Commissioners, water consumed at 557 First street.....	17 00
To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.	
William Hammell, carpenter work in Collector's office	75 93
William Hammell, carpenter work on City Clerk's vault	88 40
William Hammell, carpenter work at Second Precinct	51 61
William Hammell, carpenter work in parks	10 20
John F. Leddy, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	90 00
John F. Leddy, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	46 92
Arthur Y. Letts, ice furnished Public Bath	60 40
Arthur Y. Letts, ice furnished Public Bath	44 00
Pay roll, extra labor in park	26 40
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks	13 00

Fred A. Hoppe, supplies furnished parks	12 30
Lawrence Pendergast, 35 days as acting janitor at City Hall.....	87 50
James Cannon, washing towels....	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments.	
Mrs. A. Ludwig, repairs for Street Department	24 50
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	65 85
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of November, 1912....	480 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	450 40
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	529 80
Pay roll, repairing streets	48 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	48 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	523 20
Pay roll, cleaning streets	498 60
Pay roll, cleaning streets	450 90
Pay roll, repairing streets	38 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	514 20
Pay roll, repairing streets	93 25
To the Committee on Sewers.	
James H. Fuertes, services in connection with report upon sewerage and drainage of Hoboken.....	2,563 19
Pay roll, cleaning drains	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning drains	36 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	108 00
To the Committee on Police and Militia.	
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	12 15
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	66 75
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
New Inquirer, publishing notice of Registry and Election, 1912.....	758 54
New Inquirer, publishing notice to election officers	28 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Nov. 13, 1912.....	143 80
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance, licensing cabarets.....	7 56
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Excise Board of Oct. 14-28, 1912	5 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for October, 1912.....	1,892 06
Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed at public buildings for October, 1912	40 00
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for October, 1912	324 98
To the Committee on Alms:	
A. Tannebaum, groceries furnished poor	24 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished poor..	24 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished poor	12 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished poor..	9 00
E. Von Seggern, groceries furnished poor	21 00
H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished poor	21 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished poor	6 00
J. H. Thiesmeier, groceries furnished poor	51 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished poor..	13 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	70 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 50
Mary Fosdick, conveying homeless to Almshouse	3 50
The following communication was presented, read and received:	

November 26, 1912.

To the Honorable The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—My opinion has been requested as to the right of Ernst Fischer, who holds a certificate from the County Clerk evidencing that he has been elected a Tax Commissioner from the Third Ward of the City of Hoboken, to assume the duties of said office, and I am informed by the City Clerk that the right of said Ernst Fischer to hold said office has been questioned because of his having been elected thereto as a candidate of the Socialist party, the contention being made that only candidates of the Democratic and Republican party were eligible for election to the office of Tax Commissioner. I advise you that such contention is entirely unfounded. Chapter 532 of the Session Laws of 1871, page 1417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Hoboken," approved March 28, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, which said supplement was approved April 6, 1871, provides, in Section 18 thereof, that "Two persons shall be elected as Tax Commissioners in each ward of said city, who shall be freeholders and electors of the ward in which they are elected." The said act provides ascheme of voting for such Tax Commissioners, which, however, has been changed by our General Election Law.

I advise you that the said Ernst Fischer is eligible to hold the office of Tax Commissioner representing the Third Ward of this city, if he be a freeholder and elector of said ward and shall have received a certificate from the County Clerk evidencing his election to said office.

Your Honorable Body is without authority to determine as to the eligibility of said Ernst Fischer to the office in question. His right to said office can be determined only by the Supreme Court, upon proper application thereby.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

November 25, 1912.

To the Honorable The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—With reference to my communication to you of the 23d day of September, 1912, in re Hoboken vs. Murphy et als, I beg leave to advise you that J. H. Steljes, executor of the estate of Martin Steljes, deceased, has proposed to me that he will make payment to the city of the sum of \$400, which sum, added to the amount heretofore offered by Messrs. John Bruning and the estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased, makes \$5,000 in all, which is offered by said parties by way of compromise settlement of the matter of The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Michael H. Murphy, Theophilus Butts, John Bruning and Martin Steljes.

I advise the acceptance of the offer of \$5,000 made by the aforesaid parties. If you agree to accept said offer, I request you to pass a resolution authorizing a settlement of said matter on the aforesaid terms.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 15, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit the statement of Mr. C. A. Tissot, Auctioneer, employed by the city to sell the property 84 Jackson street.

His check for \$224.75, the balance of the deposit left with him by Mr. Tullock, after deducting his commissions and expenses, I endorsed over to the city and delivered the same to the City Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE L. ALLEN,
Ass't Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 25, 1912.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I have on November 18, 1912, suspended Michael Pridie for insubordination and engaged Mr. Frank Hauck in his place, for November 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 25, seven days, at \$2.50 per day, a total of \$17.50.

You will deduct \$17.50 from Pridie's salary and draw a warrant to the order of Frank Hauck for \$17.50.

Yours truly,

P. R. GRIFFIN,

Street Commissioner.

The following report was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 27, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to report the following receipts and expenditures of the city from August 1 to November 1, 1912:

RECEIPTS.

Aug. 1, 1912, balance.....	\$269,883 66
Received for	
Taxes, 1911	17,044 12
Interest on taxes, 1911.....	828 34
Arrears of taxes.....	47,758 68
Interest on arrears of taxes....	675 43
Fire Department permits.....	91 00
Licenses, general	2,275 00
Recorder's fines	701 00
District Court fees.....	1,064 70
Street Commissioner, sale of blocks	28 20
Street Commissioner, street opening permits	55 00
Street Commissioner, sewer tapping permits	10 00
Special officer, Police Dep't....	416 65
Loans	185,000 00
Inspector of Buildings permits..	121 00
Sale of bonds.....	50,422 12
Interest on daily balances.....	1,038 29
Excise licenses, City Clerk....	6,785 94
Hoboken Cemetery	1,855 50

Total receipts, including balance \$586,054 63

DISBURSEMENTS.

For	
Expert testimony, water front suits	\$100 00
Printing and stationery, Excise Commissioners	25 00
Printing and stationery, current Elections	1,369 83
Insurance on public buildings...	106 00
Repairs at sub-station.....	184 00
Contingencies	25 55
Supplies, general	1,893 43
Hoboken Cemetery	134 50
Hoboken Cemetery	1,306 76
Board of Health	2,400 00
Police Department	46,370 10
Fire Department	33,882 43

Outdoor poor	830 75
Medicine for poor.....	232 98
St. Mary's Hospital	7,500 00
Sewers	2,050 32
Street and public building lighting	8,859 06
Street repairing (special).....	22,374 79
Repaving streets and crossbridge laying	940 40
Painting and lettering carts....	15 00
Feeding horses	392 69
Can carriers and cans.....	72 00
Sprinkling streets around City Hall	60 00
Upkeep of carts and street sweeper	114 85
Veterinary services	65 25
Boots and oilskin suits.....	59 75
Repairing sewers, rebuilding manholes	73 50
Iron pipe connections	370 75
Ten new receiving basins.....	241 25
Repairing box sewer, Clinton St., First and Second.....	508 43
Removing ashes and garbage...	2,880 00
Two sets of harness and repairs	69 30
Shovels	21 10
Cleaning streets	5,994 40
Shoeing horses	106 00
Cylinder brooms	182 00
Hand brooms	94 50
Cleaning receiving basins.....	1,620 00
New manhole rings and covers.	145 00
Expense, parks	4,426 85
New city stables	8,077 25
Library	10,000 00
Music in parks.....	540 00
Playgrounds	677 52
Observance Memorial Day.....	500 00
Interest on bonds.....	22,367 72
Salaries	24,968 26
County tax	100,000 00
City Hall alterations	26,137 80
Outstanding claims	430 00
Surplus, taxes 1911.....	64 38
Repairs at ambulance house....	360 79
Water rents on city property....	73 13
Wharfage for bath.....	40 00

Total expenditures \$342,335 37

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts, including balances Aug. 1, 1912	\$586,054 63
Expenditures	342,335 37

Balance Nov. 1, 1912..... \$243,719 26

Respectfully submitted,

FRED'K KAUFMANN,

Comptroller.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,651.71, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of November.

1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$7,985.19, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of November, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,945.18, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of December, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$10,343.75, to pay interest on bonded debt due December 1, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of \$916.20, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of \$445.01, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 2 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$7,261, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 3 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$30, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 17 from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$4,250 in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on City Hall alterations, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 5 from Schneider & Diefenbach, architects, for the sum of \$3,332, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of City Stable, 116-118 Jackson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 2 from Joseph W. Obrieter, engineer, for the sum of \$42, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Specifications for the repaving and re-improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Thomas F. Devlin and Andrew Serventi as Excise Commissioners.

Patrick O'Connor as City Surveyor.

Leon Lewis as junk dealer.

An ordinance to provide for the care, cleaning and maintenance of the City Hall, First Precinct Police Station, City Prison and Armory, and to establish and provide for the appointment of a Custodian of the City Hall and his assistants, and to define their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on November 13, 1912.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

An ordinance to provide for the care, cleaning and maintenance of the City Hall, First Precinct Police Station, City Prison and Armory, and to establish and provide for the appointment of a Custodian of the City Hall and his assistants, and to define their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council, held on November 13, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman PaPointe.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board took a recess, subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present — Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

P. J. Murray, incidentals.....	\$1 70
J. H. Kruse, insurance on City Stable	23 24
James J. Farrell, 26 days services as clerk to Assessors.....	78 00
Mrs. M. Clark, use of horse and wagon for Ins. of Weights and Measures	28 00
William Hammell, carpenter work in Collector's office	75 93
William Hammell, carpenter work on City Clerk's vault	88 40
William Hammell, carpenter work at Second Precinct	51 61
William Hammell, carpenter work in parks	10 20
John F. Leddy, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park.....	90 00
Arthur Y. Letts, ice furnished Public Bath	60 40
Arthur Y. Letts, ice furnished Public Bath	44 00
Pay roll, extra labor in park	26 40
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks	13 00
Fred A. Hoppe, supplies furnished parks	12 30
Lawrence Pendergast, 35 days as acting janitor at City Hall.....	87 50
James Cannon, washing towels....	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
Mrs. A. Ludwig, repairs for Street Department	24 50
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	65 85
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the last half month of November, 1912....	480 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	450 40
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	529 80
Pay roll, repairing streets	48 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	48 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	51 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	523 20
Pay roll, cleaning streets	498 60
Pay roll, cleaning streets	450 90
Pay roll, repairing streets	38 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	514 20
Pay roll, repairing streets	93 25

James H. Fuertes, services in connection with report upon sewerage and drainage of Hoboken.....	2,563 19
Pay roll, cleaning drains	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning drains	36 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	108 00
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	12 15
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	66 75
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Nov. 13, 1912.....	143 80
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance, licensing cabarets.....	7 56
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of Excise Board of Oct. 14-28, 1912	5 00
A. Tannebaum, groceries furnished poor	24 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished poor..	24 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished poor	12 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished poor..	9 00
E. Von Seggern, groceries furnished poor	21 00
H. Stuhmann, groceries furnished poor	21 00
R. Claussen, groceries furnished poor	6 00
J. H. Thiesmeier, groceries furnished poor	51 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished poor.	13 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	70 00
George Curcio, conveying homeless to Alms house	2 50
Mary Fosdick, conveying homeless to Alms house	3 50

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the specifications for the repaving and reimpovement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said specifications.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

The Committee on Public Grounds and

Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 2, from Joseph Obrieter, engineer, for the sum of \$42 in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 17, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$4,250, in favor of Paul J. Exener Company, contractors on City Hall alterations, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 5, from Schneider & Dieffenbach, for the sum of \$3,332, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of City Stable, 116-118 Jackson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 3, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$30, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 2, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$7,261, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commission for the sum of \$445.01, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Playground Fund for the sum of \$445.01, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commission, to pay current expenses of Board of Playground Commission.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and

Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of \$916.20, to pay current expenses of said Board, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Health Fund for the sum of \$916.20, in favor of S. Lubash, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$10,343.75, to pay interest on bonded debt, due December 1, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$10,345.75, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt, due December 1, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Delaney, Pflugh and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$7,985.19, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of November, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$7,985.19, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of November, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Delaney, Pflugh and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$4,945.18 to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of December, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,945.18, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of December, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of \$6,651.71, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of November, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,651.71, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of November, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath and Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of November, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$7,261 in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 27, 1912 and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$3,332, in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the improvement of City Stable, 116-118 Jackson street, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented November 27, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$30, in favor of Samuel Montgomery, inspector, on the improvement of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 27, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$42, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, between Shore Road and Hudson street, as per certificate of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, presented November 27, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of \$1,250, in favor of Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the improvement of City Hall, alterations, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, Architects, presented November 27, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen McFeely, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Belloff, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, LaPointe and Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That Thomas J. Wren be and he is hereby appointed Custodian of the City Hall, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings of the Council; said appointment to take effect December 2, 1912, at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen McFeely, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Belloff, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, LaPointe and Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That Henry Miller be and he is hereby appointed as elevator attendant at the City Hall, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings of the Council and the Custodian of the City Hall. The said appointment to take effect December 2, 1912, at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum payable semi-monthly.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen McFeely, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Belloff, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, LaPointe and Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That Julius Hoffmann be and he is hereby appointed as porter of the City Hall, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings of the Council and the Custodian of the City Hall. The said appointment to take effect December 2, 1912, at a salary of nine hundred dollars per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen McFeely, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Belloff, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, LaPointe and Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That the First Hoboken Window Cleaning Company, H. Reitman, proprietor, be and they are hereby engaged to clean the windows at the City Hall, for the sum of twenty-five dollars per month, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings of the Council and the Custodian of the City Hall.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen McFeely, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Belloff, Larkin, Luehs, Pflugh, LaPointe and Anderson presented the following:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed as cleaners at the City Hall: Mrs. William O'Dea, Mrs. Patrick Garrick, Mrs. Mary O'Malley, Mrs. Mary Carr, Mrs. Mary Gondolfo, Mrs. Patrick O'Toole, Mrs. Mary Leach, Mrs. Julia Hallock, subject to orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings of the Council and the Custodian of the City Hall. The said appointments to take effect December 2, 1912, at a salary of four hundred and eighty dollars per annum, payable semi-annually.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employes for salaries for the month of November, 1912, to the amount of \$5,513.92, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilmen Rath, Luehs and Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employes for salaries for the last half month of Novem-

be, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50; also warrants for the first half month of December, 1912, to the amount of \$737.50 (subject to corrections), when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

Councilman Duffy moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, December 4, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 4, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson. Absent—Councilmen Delaney, LaPointe, Luehs and Pflugh.

Communication from John Mohr, notifying the Council that there is \$100 due him for the storage of paving blocks on lots 305-307 Jackson street, and that the taxes are \$49.61, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:
Wilson Taylor, insurance on City Hall\$1,700 00
George L. Tullock, for rent of stable No. 84 Jackson St., for November, 1912 50 00
To the Committee on Public Grounds and

Buildings:
Hoboken Land & Impt. Co. wharfage of public bath for November, 1912 20 00
James A. Marnell, repairs at Elysian Park 34 35
James A. Marnell, supplies and repairs, Second Precinct 100 00
James A. Marnell, repairs at Police Headquarters 19 70
James A. Marnell, repairs at Second Precinct 25 00
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies, Second Precinct 92 50
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies, City Collector's office..... 50 00
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies, Second Precinct 39 50
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies, Second Precinct 99 50
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:
E. D. Vanderbilt & Co., supplies furnished Street Department..... 39 55
E. D. Vanderbilt & Co., supplies furnished Street Department..... 52 75
Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 441 90

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 37 50
To the Committee on Sewers:
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00
To the Committee on Alms:
E. Nobile, groceries furnished poor.. 12 00
H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished poor 33 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished poor.. 9 00
F. J. Kopp, groceries furnished poor 18 60
A. J. Volk, burial of poor..... 25 00
Report of Joseph H. Cummings, Inspector of Buildings, for the month of November, 1912, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,565.47, in favor of the Harlem Contracting Company, contractors on the repaving of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$1,798.55, in favor of the Harlem Contracting Company, contractors on the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Patterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Cornelius J. Taken, as Excise Commissioner.

Councilman Belloff presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise in the Hudson Observer for a meeting of the Committee of the Whole of the Council, to be held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday evening, December 10, 1912, at 8 o'clock, to which the general public is invited to discuss the plans of Mr. James H. Fuertes, on the sewerage and drainage of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

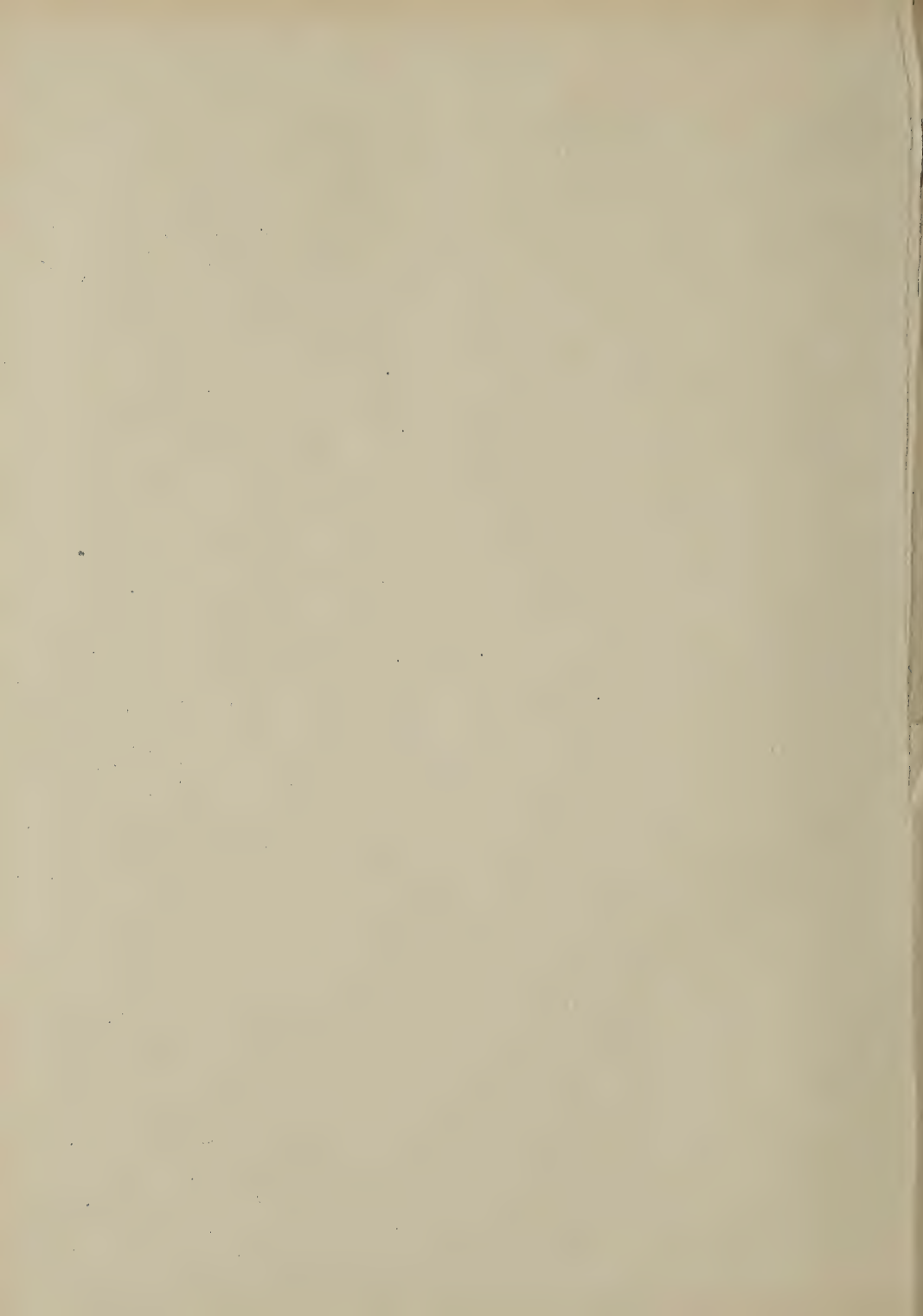
Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Duffy, Larkin, McFeely, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Delaney, LaPointe, Luehs and Pflugh.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.



COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, for the purpose of discussing the plans of Mr. James H. Fuertes on the sewerage and drainage of Hoboken, on Tuesday, December 10, 1912, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

Chairman Anderson announced that the meeting was called by the Committee of the Whole for the purpose to hear any citizen or taxpayer who wished to speak on the report submitted by Mr. James H. Fuertes in pamphlet form on the sewerage and drainage of Hoboken.

His Honor Mayor Cooke appeared before the Council, who said that before any discussion took place he desired to disabuse the minds of those present to the false impression that the city was contemplating the expenditure of between \$700,000 and \$800,000 for sewers that would benefit but a few property owners. The idea was that the city was to construct trunk or outlet sewers, and whenever needed the property owners would put in their own lateral sewers. In streets like Fifteenth and Eleventh streets, where outlet sewers are to be built, the property owners would be assessed for the cost of an ordinary sewer, and the balance of the cost paid for by the city. The plans submitted by Mr. Fuertes were to take care of Hoboken sewerage for all times, and provided for a uniform plan of sewers built in sections and each section to conform with the other.

Mr. J. W. Rufus Besson, President of the Hoboken Board of Trade, endorsed the action of the Mayor and Council, and the manner in which they had gone about the matter of providing an adequate sewerage system. Mr. Besson stated that the report submitted by Mr. Fuertes seemed to be a good one, and the Board of Trade approved it in every manner.

Mr. Charles Fall, president of the Civic Federation, stated that the Mayor and Council deserved a great deal of praise for appointing such an efficient engineer as Mr. Fuertes. Mr. Fall stated he favored the building of a part of the proposed system, and recommended that the first work be to build an outlet through Eleventh street that would practically drain the section from Ninth to Thirteenth streets, in the western section of the city, and with proper sewerage system many manufacturers could be induced to locate in Hoboken. On being informed by Mr. Fuertes that the cost of constructing the Eleventh street sewer would be about \$79,000, Mr. Fall said that the placing of \$5,000 a year into the Sinking Fund would take care of the bond issue for that expenditure, and in a very few years the additional revenue from the new buildings would more than pay the cost of the sewer.

Mr. Richard Beyer, engineer of the city, stated that the report of Mr. Fuertes was an admirable one. On the suggestion of Mr. Beyer, Mr. Fuertes explained the difference between the various systems on Plan B.

Mr. Edward R. Stanton, former Mayor of Hoboken, stated that something ought to be done, and done quickly, for the benefit of the city. The question of adequate sewers had been agitated for years, but nothing definite had ever been accomplished.

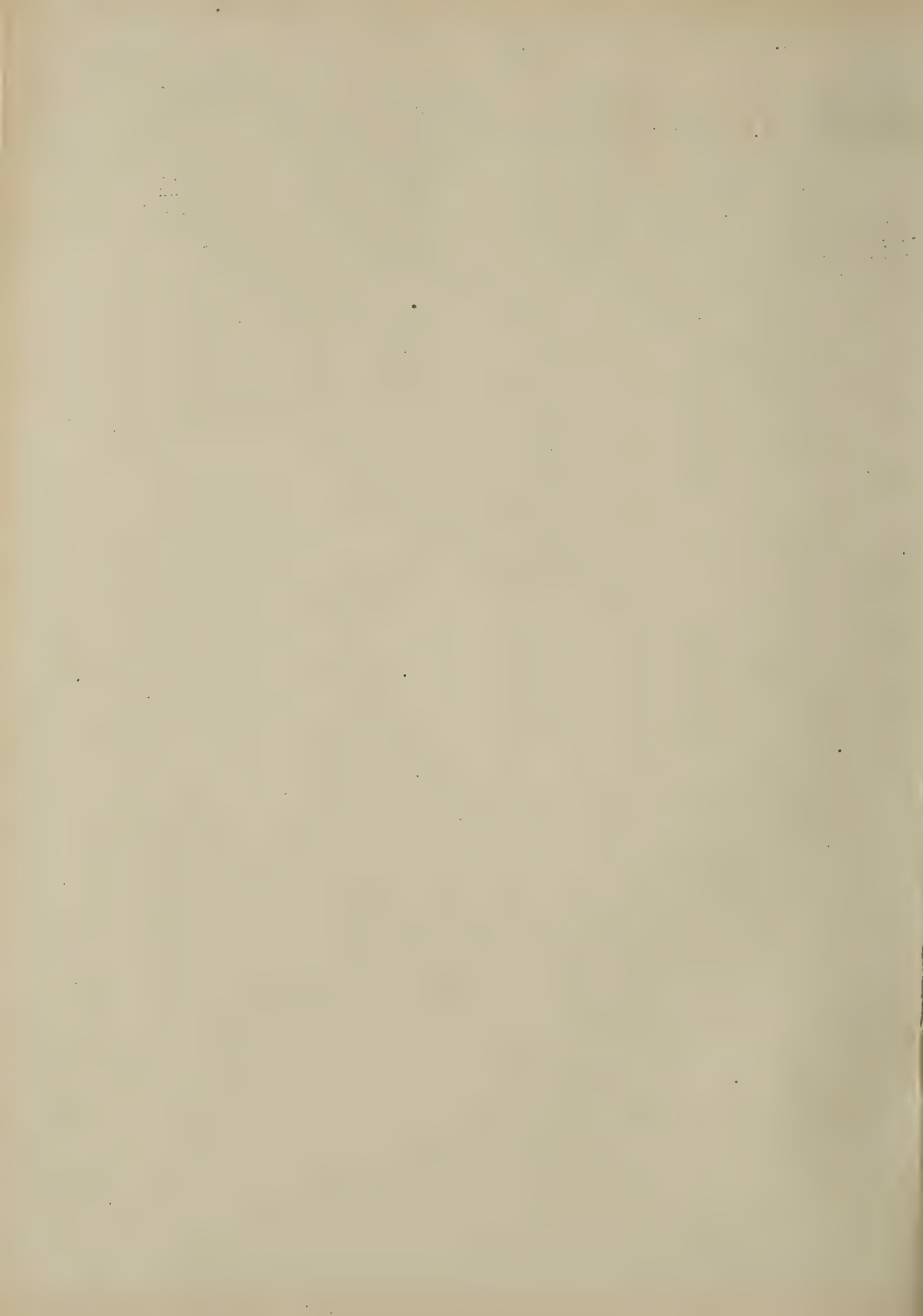
Mr. John Ryan, of the Fourth Ward, stated that before anything was done, provisions should be taken to compel Jersey City to take care of the storm water that flows down the Ravine Road into Hoboken, which came down in such volumes that no sewer could carry it.

Mr. William McHale stated that the property owners above Eighth street should pay for their own improvements.

Mr. Richard Stevens stated that he coincided with the Mayor in regard to the property owners in assisting in the work by paying a proportionate share of the expense for sewer system.

On motion of Councilman Rath, the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.



COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 11, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman LaPointe.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the Council held on November 27 and December 4, 1912, were dispensed with and they were approved as printed, with the exception that in the resolution of the minutes of December 27, 1912, appointing the cleaners at the City Hall, that they be paid semi-monthly instead of semi-annually.

Adopted.

Proposals for regrading, reflagging and otherwise reimproving Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From Henry Waddington:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all material, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

- Per cubic yard of filling, 30c.
- Per cubic yard of concrete, \$8.
- Per square yard of pavement, 60c.
- Per lineal foot of new curb, 60c.
- Per lineal foot of curb reset, 15c.
- Per square foot of new flagging, 15c.
- Per square foot of flagging relaid, 3c.
- Per square foot of new bridge, 50c.
- Per square foot of bridge relaid, 50c.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to perform the above work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

- Filling, per cubic yard, 45c.
- Concrete, per cubic yard, \$5.
- Pavement, per square yard, 56c.
- New curb, including concrete, per lineal foot, 73c.
- Old curb reset, including concrete, per lineal foot, 26c.
- New flagging, including sand, per square foot, 22c.
- Flagging relaid, including sand, per square foot, 4c.
- New brodging, including sand, per square foot, 60c.

Bridging relaid, per square foot, 12c.

From Dock Contractor Co.:

We will contract to furnish labor and material and do all necessary work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

- Per cubic yards of filling, 24c.
- Per cubic yards of concrete, laid complete, \$5.
- Per cubic yards of pavement, including sand, complete, 50c.
- Per lineal foot of new curb, including sand, complete, 60c.
- Per lineal foot of old curb reset, complete, with sand, 10c.
- Per square foot of new flagging, complete with sand, 18c.
- Per square foot of old flag relaid, complete with sand, 2c.
- Per square foot of new bridge laid, complete with sand, 50c.
- Per square foot of old bridge relaid, complete with sand, 10c.

Petition from Louis Fuchs, requesting a refund of \$5 for street opening permit which he did not use, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from Edwards & Smith, attorneys, enclosing a certified copy of taxed bills of cost against the city for the sum of \$49.36, in the case of the Mayor and Council vs. Carl Lentz et al., wherein the local assessments for 1908 against the lower ferry property and improvements were set aside as to lands and reduced as to improvements, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following applications were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For peddlers' licenses—Robert P. Brown (4), John Stappas, Giuseppe Amato, Marco Sanfilippi, Giuseppe Grasso, Charles J. Sauer New Idea Arc Lamp Co., Wu Fung Kui, Ju Ji Kon, Eagle Specialty Co., Agostino Celentano, G. R. Collier.

For porters' licenses—J. Berger, W. S. Gilbert, Otto Luehs, Charles Werner, Samuel McCormick.

For second-hand dealers' licenses—Abraham Dorfman, Benjamin Pearlman, Wm. J. Grosch, H. Goodman, Harris Greenberg, Wolf Kaplan, Abraham Isaac, Jacob Stern, F. S. Renigan, Nathan Atlas, William Muller, Paul Stutzer, Isidore Heyman, S. Glaser.

For junk dealers' licenses—Leon Lewis, William E. Siebert, Paul H. Marquardt, William E. Siebert, Herman Schildmuller, Fred Schroeder, Pasquale Adamo.

For carabet licenses—J. J. Green, George A. Reich, Edward I. Reich.

For theatre license—Henry Bishop.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries.	
Richard Bowes, delivering tax bills, for 1912	\$94 26
N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service to December 1, 1912.....	39 65
To the Committee on Public Grounds and buildings.	
Fagan Iron Works, iron gates for Church Square Park	19 25
Fagan Iron Works, new iron railing at Church Square Park.....	96 25
First Hoboken Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows at City Hall...	12 50
The Hall Safe Co., seven vault doors at City Hall	425 00
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	45 95
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	70 74
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
Lipovich & Kaplan, glass furnished Second Precinct	4 95
H. J. Moller & Son, ice furnished Second Precinct	56 70
Mrs. L. Miller, services as extra cleaner at City Hall	20 00
Lawrence Pendergast, services as acting janitor at City Hall.....	37 50
James Smith, treasurer, labor on parks	14 40
James Smith, treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments.	
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the first half month of December, 1912....	480 00
Fagan Iron Works, one vault cover for Second Precinct	15 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	468 60
Pay roll, repairing streets	51 00
To the Committee on Sewers.	
W. D. Bindewald, repairs and supplies for sewer department.....	21 24
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R., repairs to sewer	12 63
Dickson Bros., one granite basin head	36 00
Dickson Bros., one granite sill.....	2 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole covers..	20 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery.	
Hudson Observer, publishing min-	

utes of November 27, 1912.....	118 90
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of December 4, 1912.....	12 80
Hudson Observer, printing of Excise Board for November 11-25, 1912..	7 50
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of hearing on Fuertes report on sewers	34 00
Hudson Observer, printing 500 copies of James H. Fuertes' report on sewers	393 10
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance for the maintenance of City Hall	15 30
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.....	20 16
To the Committee on Alms.	
Bruckhoff & Martans, groceries furnished poor	3 00
G. Cordes	6 00
Mrs. Thomas Docken	3 00

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 30, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of School Estimate of the District of Hoboken, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, held on November 29, 1912, upon the consideration of the statement embodied in preamble and resolution presented by the Board of Education, setting forth the necessity of an appropriation of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), for the purpose of paying Eugene Ciccarella for work done at Public School No. 9, the amount of the claim referred to in the aforesaid mentioned statement. The Board of School Estimate did fix and determine that the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) is necessary for the purpose mentioned, and we respectfully request your Honorable Body to borrow the said amount and secure the same by the issue of bonds, to be designated "School Bonds."

By order of the Board of School Estimate,

JOHN DELANEY,
PATRICK H. DUFFY,
RICHARD A. MARNELL.

Attest WM. A. KERR, Secretary.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 30, 1912.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of School Estimate of the District of Hoboken, in the County of

Hudson and State of New Jersey, held on November 29, 1912, upon the presentation of a statement from the Board of Education, setting forth the necessity of a further appropriation in order to acquire additional lands upon which to erect a building to take the place of Public School No. 1 (now demolished), the Board of School Estimate, after a careful consideration and due deliberation, did fix and determine that the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) is necessary for the purpose mentioned, and we respectfully request your Honorable Body to borrow said amount and secure the same by the issue of bonds, to be designated "School Bonds."

By order of the Board of School Estimate,
MARTIN COOKE, President,
JOHN J. DELANEY,
PATRICK H. DUFFY,
ROBT. H. ALBERTS,
RICHARD A. MARNELL.

Attest: WM. A. KERR, Secretary.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,577.42, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of December, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,446.37, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,963.46, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of December, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Councilman LaPointe appeared and took his seat.

Certificate No. 2 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$4,250, in favor of the Dock Contractor Company, contractors on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 3 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$85, in favor of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 3 from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$39, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$191.94,

in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repavement of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$102.62, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repavement of Sixth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate No. 1 and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$474.03, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repavement of Willow avenue, between 11th and 13th streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Extra certificate from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$249.63, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repavement of Willow avenue, between 11th and 13th streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

An ordinance providing for the re-improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman DeLaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Larkin the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Mildred Armstrong, typewriting for Corporation Attorney	\$16 30
Bankers' and Merchants' Agency Co., advertising \$350,000 special tax arrearage bonds	69 00
The Bond Buyer, advertising \$25,000 repavement bonds	15 00
Commercial and Financial Chronicle, advertising \$25,000 repavement bonds	15 00
Commercial and Financial Chronicle, advertising park improvement bonds	13 50

Dehls & Stein, one barrel of disinfectant for City Hall.....	66 25	current supplied public buildings, October, 1912	324 08
F. N. Eberhard and John H. Sheridan, taxed costs in case of Gonzales vs. the Mayor and Council.	60 22	Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for July, 1912	1,887 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	35 00	Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for August, 1912	1,882 46
Fagan Iron Works, four new park benches	36 00	Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for September, 1912	1,887 50
Fagan Iron Works, park benches...	90 00	Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for October, 1912	1,892 06
Fagan Iron Works, park benches...	90 00	Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for April, May, June, 1912.....	40 30
Fagan Iron Works, park benches...	90 00	Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for July, 1912	6 20
Fagan Iron Works, repairs to park benches	11 95	Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for August, 1912	3 20
Fagan Iron Works, repairs to park benches	8 05	Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for September, 1912	32 90
Fagan Iron Works, iron fence in Elysian Park	140 00	Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for October, 1912	40 00
Fagan Iron Works, iron gate for ladies' toilet in Hudson Square Park	45 00	John D. Pierson, taxes, costs.....	31 45
Fagan Iron Works, railings furnished at Church Square Park	88 80	Remington Typewriter Co., repairing typewriters	1 25
The Geismar Shop, uniforms for park keepers	95 25	Remington Typewriter Co., one typewriter for Street Department....	59 00
Hoboken Land and Improvement Co., wharfage of Public Bath for September, 1912	20 00	Remington Typewriter Co., two tables	5 00
Hoboken Land and Improvement Co., wharfage of Public Bath for November, 1912	20 00	Remington Typewriter Co., typewriter for Collector of Revenue...	83 50
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall	10 00	Louis Stern, removing dead animals for quarter ending August, 1912..	125 00
Jersey City Horse Manure Transportation Co., manure furnished parks	365 80	Sanborn Map Co., corrections on insurance map for 1910.....	15 00
Frank J. Kopp, groceries furnished poor	18 00	Sanborn Map Co., corrections on insurance map for 1911.....	10 00
James A. Marnell, repairs at Elysian Park	34 35	H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished poor	33 00
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2	100 00	Chas. Schultz & Sons, sand furnished Elysian Park	11 00
Leo Mayer, insurance on Ambulance House	50 00	James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
Munson Supply Co., one set of keys for typewriter	3 50	James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
A. Melching, boots furnished sluicagate keepers	12 50	James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
E. Mische, groceries furnished poor.	9 00	James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
New Inquirer, publishing notice of registry and election, 1912.....	758 54	James Smith, Treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
New Inquirer, publishing notices to election officers	28 00	James Smith, Treasurer, cleaning streets	441.90
E. Nobile, groceries furnished poor.	12 00	James Smith, Treasurer, repairing streets	37 50
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings, July, 1912	312 53	James Smith, Treasurer, cleaning receiving basins	108 00
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings, August, 1912	277 64	Underwood Typewriter Co., one typewriter for City Treasurer.....	95 00
Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings, September, 1912	283 69	A. J. Volk, burial of poor.....	25 00
Public Service Electric Co., electric			

E. D. Vanderbilt & Co., supplies furnished Street Department....	39 55
E. D. Vanderbilt & Co., supplies furnished Street Department....	52 75
Richard Bowes, delivering tax bills for 1912	\$94 26
Fagan Iron works, iron gates for Church Square Park	19 25
Fagan Iron Works, new iron railing at Church Square Park	96 25
Fagan Iron Works, new iron railing at Church Square Park	96 25
First Hoboken Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows at City Hall...	12 50
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	45 95
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	70 74
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
H. J. Moller & Son, ice furnished Second Precinct	56 70
Mrs. L. Miller, services as extra cleaner at City Hall	20 00
Lawrence Pendergast, services as acting janitor at City Hall.....	37 50
James Smith, treasurer, labor on parks	14 40
James Smith, treasurer, labor on parks	28 80
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for the first half month of December, 1912....	480 00
Fagan Iron Works, one vault cover for Second Precinct	15 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	468 60
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	21 00
W. D. Bindewald, repairs and supplies for sewer department.....	21 24
Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R., repairs to sewer	12 63
Dickson Bros., one granite basin head	36 00
Dickson Bros., one granite sill....	2 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole covers.	20 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of November 27, 1912.....	118 90
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of December 4, 1912.....	12 80
Hudson Observer, printing of Excise Board for November 11-25, 1912..	7 50
Hudson Observer, publishing notice of hearing on Fuertes report on sewers	34 00
Hudson Observer, printing 500 copies of James H. Fuertes' report on sewers	393 10
Hudson Observer, publishing ordinance for the maintenance of City	

Hall	15 30
Hudson Observer, publishing proposals for Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.....	20 16
Bruckhoff & Martans, groceries furnished poor	3 00
G. Cordes	6 00
Mrs. Thomas Docken	3 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same:

Patrick C. O'Connor, as City Surveyor; Morris B. Appel and Charles A. Tissot, as auctioneers; John F. Callahan, as Clerk of Recorder; New Jersey Transfer Baggage Express and Emil A. Puruckherr, as expressmen; Andrew Serventi, Thomas J. Devlin and Cornelius J. Tahen, as Excise Commissioners; Edward Carroll, as Water Commissioner; Daniel Cohn, David Mayer and Andrew L. Findlay, as pawnbrokers; Amedeo Guzzi, Antonio Giordano, Patrick Sullivan, Jacob Kaplan, Antonio Policastor, Gaetano Migliacci, Giuseppe Giordano, Louis Engler, Salvatore Nasti, Constantino Russo, Giovanni Liza, Michele Laquardia, Carmine Laino, James Scarella, Pasquale Orlando, Giovanna Naporano, Leon Lewis and Isaac Kiser, as junkmen.

On motion of Councilman Luehs the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, La Pointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson

Nays—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$4,798.55, in favor of the Harlem Contracting Company, contractors on the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$2,565.47, in favor of the Harlem Contracting Company, contractors on the repaving of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, reported the same

correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$191.94, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$102.62, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Tenth street, between Clinton and Grand streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred certificate No. 1, and final from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$474.08, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Seventeenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the extra certificate from Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of \$249.63, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, contractors on the repaving of Willow avenue, between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 2, from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$4,250, in favor of the Dock Contractor Company, contractors on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 3, from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$39, in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 3, from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$85, in favor of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer on the improvement of Elysian

Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

Councilman Luehs presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to return to the unsuccessful bidders their checks, deposited with their bids for the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the fees of Richard Beyer, engineer on the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, be and the same are hereby fixed at 5 per cent of the amount of contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That William Anthony be and he is hereby appointed as inspector on the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, at a salary of three (3) dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That Max J. Beyer, architect, be and he is hereby directed to draw plans and specifications for the building of a bandstand at Church Square Park, and present the same to this Council as soon as possible.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Duffy, Luehs and Rath presented the following:

Whereas, It is to the convenience of the general public that the time for the payment of taxes be postponed; therefore

Resolved, That the Collector of Revenue of the City of Hoboken be and he is hereby directed not to impose or collect any penalty upon taxes paid on or before the twentieth day of January, 1913, and thereafter the penalty for non-payment shall be at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Anderson, Belloff, Luehs, Rath, Pflugh, Delaney, Larkin, Duffy, LaPointe and McFeely presented the following:

Whereas, The matters in difference between the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken and Michael H. Murphy, former Water Registrar of the City of Hoboken, and John Bruning, Martin Steljes and Theophilus Butts, sureties, have been pending and undetermined for many years past; and

Whereas, James F. Minturn, former Corporation Attorney of the City of Hoboken, on his retirement from said office, in a communication to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, dated August 28th, 1907, with reference to the said matter stated, "The question of settlement has come up repeatedly during the trial of the cases, and it may be advisable, owing to the complications now existing, to consider the question of compromising these claims, as the most expeditious way of finally disposing of them"; and

Whereas, John J. Fallon, Corporation Attorney, in a communication to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, dated November 24th, 1908, called attention to the status of said matter and therein referred to the aforesaid communication of James F. Minturn, Corporation Attorney, and therein stated, "Because of many complications, legal and otherwise, confronting the city at this time in regard to said suits, I would join with our former Corporation Attorney in recommending a compromise thereof, if such can be effected"; and

Whereas, A further continuance of said suits at this time would necessitate the expenditure of a considerable sum of money for the employment of experts to examine the books and accounts of the said former Water Registrar, Michael H. Murphy, and testify before the courts in regard thereto; and

Whereas, The Corporation Attorney, John J. Fallon, has reported to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, that John Bruning, Estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased, and Estate of Martin Steljes, deceased, have offered to make a compromise settlement of the matters involved in the aforesaid suits by payment to the city of the sum of \$5,000, thirty-three hundred dollars thereof to be paid by Estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased; thirteen hundred dollars thereof by John Bruning, and four hundred dollars thereof by Estate of Martin Steljes,

deceased, which offer the Corporation Attorney has advised should be accepted; and

Whereas The aforesaid matters have been fully inquired into and due consideration given by the Council to the aforesaid recommendations of James F. Minturn, former Corporation Attorney (now Supreme Court Justice), and John J. Fallon, the present Corporation Attorney.

Resolved, That John J. Fallon, Corporation Attorney, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept for and in behalf of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken the aforesaid offer to compromise settlement made by John Bruning, Estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased, and Estate of Martin Steljes, deceased, amounting in all to five thousand dollars; thirty-three hundred dollars thereof to be paid by Estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased; thirteen hundred dollars thereof by John Bruning, and four hundred dollars thereof by Estate of Martin Steljes, deceased; and upon payment of said sum of five thousand dollars by said parties, the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue the suits now pending and undetermined in the New Jersey Supreme Court, wherein the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken is plaintiff and Michael H. Murphy, Theophilus Butts, Martin Steljes and John Bruning are defendants, without costs to either party as against the other; and that upon payment of the sum of five thousand dollars as aforesaid, general release or releases be executed by the Mayor for and on behalf of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, the corporate seal of the city affixed thereto and attested by the City Clerk, to the aforesaid John Bruning, Estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased, and the Executors or Administrators thereof, and Estate of Martin Steljes, deceased, and the Executors or Administrators thereof; and that said moneys when received by the Corporation Attorney shall be paid by him to the City Treasurer for and in behalf of the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the first half month of December, 1912, to the amount of \$310, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested

by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Duffy, Luehs, Rath and Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars (\$5) in favor of Louis Fuchs, paid for a street opening permit at 327 Grand street, which was not used by him.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Duffy, Luehs, Rath and Pflugh presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars (\$5) to the order of Harry Barck, Poormaster, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Duffy, Luehs and Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to borrow for and in behalf of the city by temporary loan, the sum of Three thousand eight hundred (\$3,800) dollars, to defray current obligations of the city.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—none.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Rath, Duffy and Pflugh presented the following:

Whereas, A judgment was heretofore entered in the Hudson County Circuit Court in favor of the Hoboken Printing and Publishing Company against the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, for the sum of six hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty cents (\$681.30), for advertising and printing the minutes of the Boards of Police and Fire Commissioners during the years 1907 and 1908;

Resolved, That said judgment be paid out of the printing and stationery floating fund,

1911-1912, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to draw a warrant on said fund for the payment thereof, and the said warrant, when duly signed by the proper officers of the city, to be delivered to the Corporation Attorney and by him to be delivered to the said Hoboken Printing and Publishing Company upon their executing and delivering to the Corporation Attorney a warrant for the satisfaction of said judgment.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one hundred and ninety-one 94-100 dollars (\$191.94) in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for four hundred and seventy-four 08-100 dollars (\$474.08) in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer, on the improvement of Willow avenue, north of Eleventh street, and Thirteenth street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one hundred and two 62-100 dollars (\$102.62) in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer, on the improvement of Tenth street, between Clinton street and Grand street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,

LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for two hundred and forty-nine 63-100 dollars (\$249.63) in favor of Standard Bitulithic Paving Company, on the improvement of Willow avenue, between asphalt north of Eleventh street and Thirteenth street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 11, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,250) in favor of Dock Contractor Company on the improvement of Elysian Park, between Shore Road and Hudson street, as per certificate of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for thirty-nine dollars (\$39), in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, between Hudson street and Shore Road, as per certificate of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Larkin presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for eighty-five dollars (\$85), in favor of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, on the improvement of Elysian Park, between Hudson street and Shore Road, as per certificate of Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, presented December 11, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for four thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight 55-100 (\$4,798.55), in favor of Harlem Contracting Company of New York, on the improvement of Jackson street, from First street to Paterson avenue, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 4, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Delaney presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for two thousand five hundred and sixty-five 47-100 (\$2,565.47), in favor of Harlem Contracting Company of New York, on the improvement of Tenth street, between Clinton street and Grand street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 4, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Rath, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,577.42, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of December, 1912, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,577.42, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of December, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Rath, Belloff and Pflugh presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to

whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of \$6,446.37, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of \$6,446.37, in favor of Martin Cooke, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Luehs and Belloff presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$4,963.46, to pay salaries of the Fire De-

partment for the last half month of December, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$4,963.46, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of December, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Duffy moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, December 18, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 18, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Luehs.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that exempt certificates be granted Leonard Spangburgh and Charles Tucker, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from James A. Marnell, relative to his claim of \$2,000, the balance due him from Paul J. Exner Company, contractors on the alterations to City Hall, for plumbing and gasfitting, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

James J. Farrell, services as Assistant Clerk to Assessors for December, 1912 \$78 00

Maresca Safe Co., one safe for Street Commissioner 60 00

Water Commissioners, water consumed at 213 Bloomfield street..... 105 70

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Max J. Beyer, preparing plans and specifications for band stand at Church Square Park..... 60 00

James Cannon, washing towels..... 6 00

Thos. F. Devlin, lettering on fanlights over office doors..... 98 00

Hoboken Electrical Equipment Co., repairs at Second Precinct..... 33 50

Hoboken Electrical Equipment Co., repairs at Police Headquarters.... 16 50

William Hammell, carpenter work at parks 7 34

William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall 66 20

W. L. Kaemna, coal furnished Hudson Square Park..... 6 00

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall 93 75

Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall for June, July and August, 1912 92 40

Mrs. L. Miller, services as extra cleaner at City Hall..... 20 00

Lawrence Pendergast, services as acting janitor at City Hall for the last

half month of December, 1912..... 37 50

Pay roll, labor on parks..... 14 40

Daniel Wallace, putting in new sewer in Hudson Square Park..... 93 22

Daniel Wallace, changing and repairing sewer connections at Hudson Square Park 80 55

Daniel Wallace, connecting cesspool at Hudson Square Park..... 95 52

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Mrs. Mary Clark, shoeing horses.... 64 00

Mrs. Mary Clark, repairs for Street Department 8 50

Chas. Hvass & Co., broom handles furnished Street Department..... 12 00

Chas. Hvass & Co., brooms furnished Street Department 94 50

Chas. Hvass & Co., brooms furnished Street Department 94 50

John Pustkuchen, concreting sidewalk at Court and Fourth streets.. 98 00

John Pustkuchen, repairing curbing at Court and Fourth streets..... 20 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 54 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 514 60

Van Keuren & Son, wood blocks furnished city stable..... 87 60

To the Committee on Sewers:

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department 44 20

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 108 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Hudson Observer, stationery furnished Poormaster 12 00

Oscar Schlichting, cutting wheels for pencil pointer 4 50

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Electric Co., street lighting for November, 1912 (contract) 1,902 29

Public Service Electric Co., electric current supplied public buildings for November, 1912 (contract).... 347 20

Public Service Gas Co., gas consumed in public buildings for November, 1912 (contract) 24 40

To the Committee on Alms:

H. Behnken, groceries furnished poor 18 00

Mrs. Thomas Docken, groceries furnished poor 3 00

William Kamlah, medicine furnished City Physician (contract)..... 93 15

John F. O'Hara, burial of poor..... 25 00

I. Weisman, groceries furnished poor 6 00

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 18, 1912.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I recommend the payment to

the relator, Joseph Anderson, Sr., of the amount of the costs in the mandamus proceedings brought by him against the city. The warrant to be delivered to him upon his release to the city of all claims that he might have in the premises.

Very respectfully,

HORACE L. ALLEN,
Ass't Corporation Attorney.

Reports of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening, sewer tapping and sale of old paving block fees for the months of September, October and November, 1912, were presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of \$2,402.51 to pay claims of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1912, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$32,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$25,114.73, to pay interest on bonded debt due January 1, 1913, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Certificate No. 6 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,530, in favor of James Whalen, contractor for building city stable, at 116-118 Jackson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

On motion of Councilman Delaney the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

James J. Farrell, services as Assistant Clerk to Assessors for December, 1912	\$78 00
Max J. Beyer, preparing plans and specifications for band stand at Church Square Park.....	60 00
James Cannon, washing towels.....	6 00
Thos. F. Devlin, lettering on fan-lights over office doors.....	98 00
Hoboken Electrical Equipment Co., repairs at Police Headquarters....	16 50
William Hammell, carpenter work at parks	7 34
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	66 20
W. L. Kaemna, coal furnished Hud-	

son Square Park.....	6 00
W. L. Kaemna, coal furnished City Hall	93 75
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall for June, July and August, 1912	92 40
Mrs. L. Miller, services as extra cleaner at City Hall.....	20 00
Lawrence Pendergast, services as acting janitor at City Hall for the last half month of December, 1912.....	37 50
Pay roll, labor on parks.....	14 40
Daniel Wallace, putting in new sewer in Hudson Square Park.....	93 22
Daniel Wallace, changing and repairing sewer connections at Hudson Square Park	80 55
Daniel Wallace, connecting cesspool at Hudson Square Park.....	95 52
Mrs. Mary Clark, shoeing horses....	64 00
Mrs. Mary Clark, repairs for Street Department	8 50
Chas. Hvass & Co., broom handles furnished Street Department.....	12 00
Chas. Hvass & Co., brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
Chas. Hvass & Co., brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
John Pustkuchen, concreting sidewalk at Court and Fourth streets..	98 00
John Pustkuchen, repairing curbing at Court and Fourth streets.....	20 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	54 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	514 60
Van Keuren & Son, wood blocks furnished city stable.....	87 60
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	44 20
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
Oscar Schlichting, cutting wheels for pencil pointer	4 50
H. Behnken, groceries furnished poor	18 00
Mrs. Thomas Docken, groceries furnished poor	3 00
William Kamlah, medicine furnished City Physician (contract).....	93 15
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	25 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished poor	6 00

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred certificate No. 6 from Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, for the sum of \$1,530, in favor of James Whalen, contractor for building of city stable at 116-118 Jackson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that exempt firemen's certificates be granted to Leonard Spangburgh and Charles Tucker, reported in favor of granting said certificates.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Rath.

Councilman Rath appeared and took his seat.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the re-improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Dock Contractor Companw, J. L. Laverty, Secretary and Treasurer, the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the re-improvement of Adams street between Eighth and Ninth streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Dock Contractor Company, J. P. Laverty, Secretary and Treasurer, at the price named in their proposal, and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY.

PATRICK H. DUFFY,

JAMES G. LARKIN,

Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Whereas, The city occupies the premises known as block 47, lots 3-4, 305-307 Jackson street, for the storage of old paving blocks, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Collector of Revenue be and he is hereby directed to cancel the taxes for the year 1912, amounting to the sum of \$49.60, against said property.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one hundred dollars (\$100), in favor of John Mohr, for one year's rent on two lots known as block 47, lots 3-4, 305-307 Jackson street.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw three warrants for the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) each, in favor of Patrick Burke, Philip Gerhardt and George E. Whitlock, for services as Sergeant-at-Arms of the Council for the year 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn to the order of Joseph Anderson, Sr., for the sum of one hundred and forty-five dollars, in payment of the costs in the mandamus proceedings brought by him in the New Jersey Supreme Court against the Mayor and Council, and that said warrant be delivered to said Joseph Anderson, Sr., upon his filing with the City Clerk such release, receipt or acquittance as shall be approved by either the Corporation Attorney or the Assistant Corporation Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of \$10, for postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is

hereby ydirected to draw a warrant to the order of St. Mary's Hospital for the sum of \$2,500, for taking care of the sick and indigent poor for the month of December, 1912, according to contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of \$2,402.51, to pay claims, etc., of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1912, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of \$2,402.51, in favor of Martin Cooke, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and Richard C. Greten, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay claims of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1912.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Duffy presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for \$1,550 in favor of James Whalen, contractor on the building of city stable, 116-118 Jackson street, as per certificate of Schneider & Dieffenbach, architects, presented December 18, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Pflugh, Belloff and Delaney presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of \$32,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the School Fund for the sum of \$32,000, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Rath, Pflugh and Duffy presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, for the sum of \$25,114.73, to pay interest on bonded debt due January 1, 1913, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Interest Fund for the sum of \$25,114.73, in favor of James Smith, City Treasurer, to pay interest on bonded debt due January 1, 1913.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the last half month of December, 1912, to the amount of \$1,045, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the month of December, 1912, to the amount of \$5,553.92, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to honor warrants drawn to the order of city employees for salaries for the quarter ending December 31, 1912, to the amount of \$4,375, when said warrants are duly signed by the Mayor, attested by the City Clerk and countersigned by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,
LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh,
Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board
adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 25, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, Lar-

kin, Luehs, McFeely and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—Councilmen Belloff, LaPointe, Pflugh and Rath.

Councilman Duffy moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Monday, December 30, 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN, City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, December 30, 1912.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the reading of the minutes of the Council held on December 10, 11 and 18, 1912, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

William D. Edwards, srvcies and counsel fees in the cases of the city against the bondsmen of Michael

H. Murphy, former Water Registrar \$600 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Morris B. Appel, furniture for Police Headquarters \$95 00

Morris B. Appel, furniture for Police Headquarters 90 40

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office..... 280 40

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office 84 50

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office..... 112 23

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office..... 349 20

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office..... 242 50

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office..... 342 00

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber..... 242 75

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber..... 247 50

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber..... 144 50

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., seetes for Council Chamber 459 20

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office 155 50

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office 205 98

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office 134 80

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furni-

turè for Street Commissioner's office	130 50
office	116 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	82 45
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for City Treasurer's office...	119 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for City rTreasurer's office...	112 80
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for City Treasurer's office...	126 00
First Hoboken Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows at City Hall	25 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall	10 00
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at City Hall	69 87
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	97 25
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	94 90
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	96 70
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	95 55
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Chuch Square	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	60 00
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished City Stable.....	17 50
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Elysian Park	8 25
Sol Lubish, cuspidors furnished City Hall	36 75
George Mickens, fire extinguishers for City Hall	90 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	10 00
A. P. W. Paper Co., toilet paper furnished City Hall	37 25
Fred Speyer, supplies furnished City Hall	94 50
Fred Speyer, supplies furnished City Hall	79 50
James Smith, Treasurer, labor at City Hall	45 00
James Smith, Treasurer, extra labor on parks	14 40
Spohn & Wittenberg, carpet furnished Council Chamber	281 65
Patrick Waldron, building brick manhole in Hudson Square Park..	48 50
To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:	
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	49 50

Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	474 90
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for last month of December, 1912	480 00
To the Committee on Sewers:	
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	108 00
To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:	
John T. Coleman, ½ dozen Boston pencil sharpeners	30 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of December 10, 11, 18, 25, 1912	212 10
Hudson Observer, publishing notice to taxpayers	75 44
Hudson Observer, 25 bound copies of Feurtes report on sewers....	27 50
To the Committee on Police and Militia:	
Mrs. E. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	10 95
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	67 95
To the Committee on Alms:	
Mrs. E. Londrigan, groceries furnished poor	45 00
Charles F. Meyer, groceries furnished poor	33 00
Emma Miehle, groceries furnished poor	12 00
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished poor	33 00
The following communication was presented, read and received:	

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 26, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Mayor and Council
of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen.—In accordance with your directions contained in the resolution of December 11th instant, I arranged a compromise settlement of the matters in difference between the Mayor and Council of the city of Hoboken and John Bruning, Theophilus Butts, Martin Steljes and Michael H. Murphy, in which matter suits were instituted some years ago in the New Jersey Supreme Court. I have received from the estate of Theophilus Butts, deceased, the sum of \$3,300 from the estate of Martin Steljes, deceased; the sum of \$400, and from John Bruning the sum of \$1,300, making in all the sum of \$5,000. These moneys I have delivered to the City Treasurer and I have taken his receipt therefor.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 23, 1912.

To the Honorable, The Mayor and Council
of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen.—I send you enclosed here-

with a letter dated December 20, 1912, from William D. Edwards, who was associated with the Corporation Attorney in the matter of the New Jersey Supreme Court suits of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Michael H. Murphy, Theophilus Butts, Martin Steljes and John Bruning; also Mr. Edwards' bill for \$600 for services and counsel fee in said matter.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 20, 1912.

NEW JERSEY SUPREME COURT.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Michael H. Murphy and Theophilus Butts.

In debt on bond.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Michael H. Murphy, Martin J. Steljes and John Bruning.

In debt on bond.

Hon. John J. Fallon,
Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J.

Dear Mr. Fallon.—I am in receipt of your message stating that the City of Hoboken has compromised its claim against the bondsmen of Michael H. Murphy for Water Registrar at the sum of \$5,000. I deem this to be a wise settlement, in view of all the circumstances and complications surrounding the cases. During our many conferences on the case, I have always favored a reasonable compromise.

I was called into the case by Corporation Attorney James F. Minturn, in January, 1896. On October 9, 1895, Charles K. Cannon, to whom the case had been referred as Referee, after a full hearing, reported that he had granted non suits against the city on the ground that no liability existed.

This report was confirmed by Judge Lipincott, and on November 19, 1895, judgment final was entered against the city. On that day Mr. Minturn obtained a rule to show cause, which I was retained to argue before the Supreme Court. The rule was argued before Judges Magie, Depue, Van Syckle and Gumere. On June 9, 1897, a decision was filed setting aside the judgment and the case was referred back to the referee. Mr. Minturn and I then had the accounts carefully examined by an expert accountant, we produced our testimony before the referee and closed our side. Before the defendants put in their case, Mr. Cannon was incapacitate from acting. Meanwhile Theophilus Butts and Martin Steljes died, and proceedings were taken to substitute their representatives. Applica-

tion was about to be made for the appointment of new referee when a question of a possible settlement was suggested.

While we proved, with mathematical certainty, from the books of Murphy and the Water Department, a large deficiency, still there remains a nice question as to whether, under the Hoboken Charter and Ordinance, Murphy was the legal custodian of these moneys and whether the Water Commissioners had any right to entrust the same to him. The bond was for the performance of the duties imposed upon Murphy by law. There was also a nice question as to which set of bondsmen were responsible for the defalcation.

I therefore advise that the settlement was wise, especially as we could not get an offer of a larger amount.

I spent a great deal of time over this case, especially in its earlier stages.

I herewith enclose a bill against the city for \$600, in the case which I wish you would approve for payment.

This sum will not begin to pay me for the time expended, but as the city has compromised, I feel that I should do likewise in the amount of my bill.

Yours truly,

WM. D. EDWARDS.

Certificate No. 4, from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer, for the sum of \$41.50, in favor of John Lewis, for services as inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

William Wise, as constable.

Nathan Green, as junk dealer.

Duplicate bond in the matter of the discharge of lien filed against Paul J. Exner Co., by T. W. Dorsett Co., was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

An ordinance providing for the reimprovement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on December 11, 1912.

Councilman Duffy moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Duffy then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the reimprovement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on December 11, 1912, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Delaney moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Adopted.

Councilman Delaney then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Larkin, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Delaney, the Board took a recess subject to the call of the chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Absent Councilman Larkin.

The Committee on Licenses reported in favor of granting the following applications:

For peddlers' licenses—Robert P. Brown (4), Giuseppe Amato, John Stappas, Giuseppe Grasso, Charles J. Sauer, Wu Fung Kui, Ju Ji Kon, Agostino Cellentano, Eagle Specialty Co., New Idea Lamp Co., G. R. Collier, Marco Sanfilippi.

For porters' licenses—Charles Werner, Otto Luehs, W. S. Gilbert, J. Berger.

For junk dealer's license—Leon Lewis.

For truckmen's license—Samuel McCormick.

On motion of Councilman Duffy, the report was received and the licenses granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Water Commissioners, water consumed at 557 First street..... \$17 60
Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co., moving safes in Collector's office.... 22 00

Morris B. Appel, furniture for Police Headquarters	\$95 00
Morris B. Appel, furniture for Police Headquarters	90 40
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office	84 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	82 45
First Hoboken Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows at City Hall	25 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall	10 00
Wm. Hammeli, carpenter at City Hall	69 87
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	97 25
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	94 90
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	96 70
Wm. Hammell, carpenter at Police Headquarters	95 55
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	90 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Church Square	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	60 00
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished City Stable	17 50
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Elysian Park	8 25
Sol Lubish, cuspidors furnished City Hall	36 75
George Mickens, fire extinguishers for City Hall	90 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	10 00
A. P. W. Paper Co., toilet paper furnished City Hall	37 25
Fred Speyer, supplies furnished City Hall	94 50
Fred Speyer, supplies furnished City Hall	79 50
James Smith, Treasurer, labor at City Hall	45 00
James Smith, Treasurer, extra labor on parks	14 40
Spohn & Wittenberg, carpet furnished Council Chamber	281 65
Patrick Waldron, building brick manhole in Hudson Square Park ..	48 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	49 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	474 90
Central Contracting Co., removing ashes, garbage, etc., for last month of December, 1912	480 00
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John T. Coleman, 1/2 dozen Boston	

pencil sharpeners	30 00
Hudson Observer, publishing minutes of December 10, 11, 18, 25, 1912	212 10
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Emma Miehle, groceries furnished poor	12 00
Henry A. Stuhmann, groceries furnished poor	33 00
On motion of Councilman Duffy the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:	
Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.	
Nays—None.	
Absent—Councilman Larkin.	
The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the following claims, report the same correct:	
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office	\$280 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office	112 23
niture for Mayor's office	349 20
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office	242 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Mayor's office	342 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber	242 75
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber	247 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Council Chamber	144 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., settees for Council Chamber	459 20
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	155 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	205 98
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	134 80
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's office	130 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture for Street Commissioner's	

office 110 30
 Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furni-
 ture for City Treas. office..... 119 00
 Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furni-
 ture for City Treas. office..... 112 80
 Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furni-
 ture for City Treas. office..... 126 00
 On motion of Councilman Duffy the re-
 port was received and the claims ordered
 paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy,
 LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Rath and Chair-
 man Anderson.

Nays—None.

Declining to vote—Councilman Pflugh.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

The Committee on Public Grounds and
 Buildings, to whom was referred certificate
 No. 4, from Joseph W. Obreiter, engineer,
 for the sum of \$41.50, in favor of John
 Lewis, inspector on the improvement of
 Elysian Park, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the re-
 port was received.

Councilman Duffy moved that the following
 papers be ordered on file:

Communication from V. A., Co. D, Ninth
 Regiment; Christian Woerner Camp, No. 1;
 Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44; Major Chr.
 Woerner Post, No. 81; Company K, Fourth
 Regiment; General Arthur McArthur Camp,
 No. 9; Association of Exempt Firemen; U. S.
 S. Badger Naval Camp, No. 19, requesting
 donations for the proper observance of Me-
 morial Day; Communication from Merritt
 Lane, attorney for the Board of Education,
 transmitting certified copies of the taxed
 bills of costs in four mandamus cases
 brought by the Board of Education against
 the Mayor and Council, amounting to the sum
 of \$238.83.

Communication from Joseph M. Noonan,
 Esq., of having ben directed to institute
 proceedings against this city to enforce the
 payment of \$362,538.22 for county taxes for
 1912.

Communication from the Hoboken Civic
 League, requesting that the Comptroller ren-
 der to the Mayor on the first of each month
 an itemized financial statement.

Communication from James Smith, Treas-
 urer, enclosing a communication from
 Joseph M. Noonan, Esq., in reference to the
 payment of our county taxes for the year
 1912.

Communication from Morris Bauman, re-
 questing a refund of \$9.00, having paid the
 Building Inspector \$10.00, and having been
 informed that the fee should be only one
 dollar;

Petition from John J. Marnell, in the mat-
 ter of the application for the distribution of
 the surplus moneys arising from the sale for

taxes of lots 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, in block
 77, map made by Commissioners of Adjust-
 ment appointed in and for the City of Ho-
 boken.

Communication from John J. Fallon, Cor-
 poration Attorney, relative to several cases
 pending in courts, i. e.: Michael H. Murphy,
 and the North Hudson County Railway Com-
 pany.

Communication from his Honor Mayor
 Gonzales relative to certain license fees
 charged by the Building Inspector, also the
 removal of ashe sand garbage.

Communication from John H. Sheridan,
 attorney for Joseph Anderson, of Jersey City,
 requesting that the city award to Joseph
 Anderson, for damages done to his property,
 710-712 First street, during the recent im-
 provement on said First street.

Communication from the Hudson County
 Board of Taxation, relative to the tax ordi-
 nance.

Communication from Comptroller Kauf-
 mann, of having apportioned the property of
 Elizabeth Carey, known as lot 28 and 29,
 block 84, for taxes of 1910.

Communication from his Honor Mayor
 Gonzales, enclosing warrants having been
 left by ex Mayor Steil.

Petition of Antonio Monaco for refund of
 \$18, having paid the Building Inspector \$20
 for two building permits and having been
 informed that the regular fee was \$1 for
 each permit.

Petition from Louis Fuchs, requesting a
 refund of \$5 for street opening permit, which
 he did not use.

Petition from Julius Lichtenstein, request-
 ing that the water bill on the premises of
 557 First street, amounting to \$17.60, be can-
 celed, as this bill is for water consumed
 while the property was in possession of the
 city.

Communication from the Board of Chosen
 Freeholders, relative to unpaid county taxes
 for the current fiscal year, amounting to
 \$225 000.

Communication from John Mohr, notifying
 the Council that there is \$100 due him for
 the storage of paving blocks on lots 305-307
 Jackson street.

Petition from Henry Cordts, requestin a
 refund of \$60.36 for taxes paid by him as
 agent on property known as 214, 2166, 218
 First street, said refund having been granted
 by the State Board of Equalization.

Petition from Henry Cordts, agent for M.
 E. H. Reed, requesting a refund of \$4.02 on
 taxes paid by him on property known as
 block 179, lot No. 1, street No. 303 Park
 avenue, said deduction having been granted
 by the State Board of Equalization of taxes.

Petition from Aug. Rossi, for refund of \$9
 paid in excess for building permit.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, relative to smoke nuisance that exists at the Public Service Corporation building located at Bloomfield and Fifteenth streets.

Petition of Philip Gottlieb, for a license for moving pictures at 357 First street.

Petition of Fred C. Roesch, for license for moving pictures at 502 First street.

Communication from Thomas F. Hatfield, Librarian, forwarding bond of Ferdinand Kaegebehn as Treasurer of the Board of Free Public Library Trustees.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Stell, forwarding a communication from Chief of Police Hayes.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Stell, recommending that Eugene Smith, City Engineer, be required to furnish a proper bond.

Communication from the National Association of Stationery Engineers, protesting against the changing the ordinance governing the licensing of engineers of five members instead of three.

Communication from the City Clerk of Perth Amboy, enclosing a resolution relative to Free Public Libraries in second class cities.

Communication from the International Union of Steam Engineers, protesting against the appointments of Max Bock and William Ford as members of the Board of Examining Engineers.

Communication from the Taxpayers' Association, protesting against the appointment of an Assistant Corporation Attorney.

Communication from Weller & Lichtenstein, relative to the case of Dorsey vs. The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, of a judgment in favor of Dorsey for the sum of \$300, the amount sued for, with costs amounting to \$18.60.

Petition from residents and property owners of the First Ward, requesting that John Horn be granted permission to open a bakery at 129 Washington street.

Petition from the Hoboken Land & Improvement Company, requesting a refund of \$68.01 paid by them for taxes on certain property owned by them; said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Education.

Petition from M. F. Rubons, requesting a refund of \$40.24 paid by Morris Kaplan et al. on property known as 503-505 Jefferson street; said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation.

Communication from the Major Chas. Werner Post No. 81, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting a donation for

the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes, requesting that the assessment maps be put in proper shape.

Communication from John Mohr, notifying the Council of their not having paid rent on lots 305-307 Jackson street, for the soring blocks.

Communication from Julius Lichtenstein, relative to the property of Mrs. Caroline S. Mather, old No. 136 Bloomfield street, which property was by mistake sold for water rents in 1876, and which mistake should be corrected on the books of the city.

Communication from John Kersey, relative to the increase in his taxes since 1906.

Petition from Mrs. Louis Fuchu, requesting a refund of \$5 paid to the Street Commissioner for street opening fee at 423 Jefferson street, to repair water service, the same being the city's water main.

Communication from John Kersey, relative to the increase of taxes since 1906.

Communication from Julius Lichtenstein, of the firm of Weller & Lichtenstein, requesting a refund of \$110 for fines imposed on his clients for violation of an ordinance in operating automobiles in this city without first having obtained licenses for that purpose.

Communication from the Board of Examining Engineers, relative to the furnishing of official badges for the members of the Board of Examining Engineers.

Communication from James E. Wooley, attorney for the Kanouse Mountain Water Company, relative to a claim of \$50 as being placed in his hands for collection.

Communication from John Mohr, notifying the Council that there is \$44.26 due for taxes on his property at 305-307 Jackson street.

Communication from Frederick Kaufman, Comptroller, that a safe deposit vault be procured for the purpose of keeping the securities of the Sinking Fund Commissioners.

Petition from Henry Vorrath, for refund of \$27.03, being the amount of reduction allowed by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, on property Nos. 502, 504 and 506 Clinton street, for the year 1910.

Communication from Robert Evans, requesting a refund of taxes, on behalf of Herman W. Schmidt, owner of property situate and known as block 165, lot 22, paid by him in the years 1906 and including 1910, amounting to \$30.21.

Communication from V. A.; Co. D. 9th Regiment, requesting an appropriation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Joint Memorial Committee of the G. A. R. for a donation

for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1911.

Communication from Christian Woerner Camp, No. 1, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44, requesting an appropriation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from Major Woerner Post, No. 81, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Nordoestliche Skat Verband, requesting the Council to donate a prize for their tournament, to be held at Odd Fellow's Hall, on September 3-4, 1911.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, relative to the number of bills in the pigeon hole that have not been acted upon, also the crowded conditions of the offices in the City Hall.

Communication from General Arthur McArthur Camp, No. 9, requesting an appropriation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

On Contract—Henry Schall, Plaintiff vs. James Padovano, Defendant, receiver's report and order.

Communication from Company K, Fourth Regiment, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1911.

Petition from George W. Travers Co., requesting a refund of \$54.06 paid by them for taxes for the year 1910, on property known as 408-414 Fifteenth street, said reduction having been granted by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

Claim of Richard Buckley, for \$90, for insurance on Engine House on Newark, Ferry and Madison streets.

Petition from James E. Coane, requesting a refund of \$3.60 paid by him for taxes for the year 1910, on property known as 124 River street, said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation.

Communication from the Board of Examining Engineers, requesting that they be furnished with some emblem of office.

Communication from D. F. Kelly, certified public accountant, submitting a proposition to devise and install a complete and modern system of municipal accounting in the various departments of the city.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending that in future, when the city bonds are offered for sale, that the advertisement shall read, that a

check for 5 per cent. of the par value of the bonds bid for must accompany each bid.

Petition from John Knapp, of 900 Jefferson street, requesting a refund of \$9, being part payment of \$10 paid to the Inspector of Buildings for a permit.

Communication from the Board of Education, requesting the Council to cancel taxes levied on the site of the new High School.

Petition from Louisa C. Ranges, requesting a refund of \$17.24, paid by her for taxes for the year 1909, on property known as 117 Hudson street, said reduction having been granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation.

Report of the Investigating Committee, to employ a certified public accountant to investigate the finances of all municipal boards of the city.

Communication from James Jasper Smith, public accountant, offering his services to go over the municipal account of the city.

Petition from F. N. Eberhard, attorney for Gustav W. Draesel, for surplus money on property, situated at 80 Monroe street, for the sum of \$1,457.02.

Communication from the Board of Tax Commissioners, recommending that the resolution to investigate the city's departments be reconsidered.

Petition from John Stroebel, requesting a rebate of \$100 for retail liquor license at 72 Park avenue.

Petition of Edward Kirk and William H. Gould, executors of the estate of Edward Kirk, deceased, for cancellation of tax sale erroneously recorded.

Communication from Co. "K," Fourth Regiment, requesting a donation for proper observance of Memorial Day.

Resolution from the Council, requesting the Board of Tax Commissioners to meet at an early date, for the purpose of making an appropriation of \$5,000, to examine the books, etc., of the various city departments.

Communication from the Sanborn Map Co., relative to their claim of \$15.00.

Communication from the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes, relative to the findings of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, on the property of the Hoboken Ferry.

Communication from August Grassmann, agent for the Germania Fire Insurance Co., notifying the Council of the reduction of fire insurance on Public Pound.

Communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, enclosing bills of Philip E. Raque, for the amount of \$375.00 and \$150.00, for services as consulting engineer on the water front properties of the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American lines.

Communication from Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Communication from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Co., requesting the return of \$5,000, with interest, deposited with the City Treasurer, for to provide light to the city.

Communication from Co. "K," Fourth Regiment, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Petition from Edith G. Pollard, requesting a refund of \$4.02, paid by her to the Collector of Revenue for chattels against 617 Hudson street, as having removed from said premises.

Petition from John L. Oest, for a refund of \$38.23, paid by him on block 224, lot 14, No. 130 River street, said reduction being granted by the Hudson County Board of Taxation and certified as correct by the Collector of Revenue.

Communication from Christian Woerner Camp No. 1, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Claim of Commercial and Financial Chronicle for \$33 for advertising special tax arrearage bonds.

Communication from Daniel J. McCarthy, Captain, assigned as Clerk, submitting a statement of the full amount of the salaries of the Police Department for the within time mentioned.

Communication from Wm. J. Arlitz, M. D., relative of the examination of certain police officers of the Hoboken Police Department.

Pay rolls, amounting to the sum of \$6,310.03, to pay salaries of the Police Department, pensions, a special police officer, and an electrician, for the last half-month of November, 1911.

Communication from the Board of Police Commissioners, relative to resolution of said Board returning warrant to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half-month of November, 1911.

Communication from Mrs. Thompson, requesting the Council to commit the Mehan family to the Almshouse.

Report of H. L. Barck, Jr., Overseer of the Poor, of list of medical supplies.

Communication from St. Mary's Hospital, notifying the Council of the advance rate of sick and indigent poor, etc., from 71 cents to \$1.00 per day.

Communication from James Smith, City Treasurer, enclosing a communication from Stephen M. Egan, County Collector, relating to indigent epileptic patients from this city to the State Village for Epileptics, being the sum of \$651.18.

Claim of A. Schlein, for \$2.00, for groceries furnished poor.

Communication from his Honor Mayor

Gonzales, relative to a communication from the N. J. Conference of Charities and Corrections, for a conference to be held in Camden, on February 13, 14 and 15, 1910.

Communication from the N. J. Conference of Charities and Corrections, requesting the Committee on Alms to appoint a delegate to the Conference.

Proposal of W. D. Bindewald, for the furnishing of an ambulance wagon.

Map and specifications for the erection of an extension to the City Hall.

Communication from the Hoboken Cemetery Trustees, refusing to furnish a statement of receipts and disbursements of said Board; also a statement of the number of lots in the Hoboken Cemetery.

Communication from the Township of Weehawken, relative to the elevation of the railroad tracks at Willow avenue, in the City of Hoboken.

Communication from the Board of Trade, relative to order all railroad, telephone and electric light companies to lay their wires underground.

Petitions from merchants and residents of the City of Hoboken, requesting that a suitable and economical ornamental lighting system be installed on Washington street.

Petition from merchants and residents of the city, requesting the Council to take steps to bring about a suitable and economical ornamental illumination of Washington street.

Communication from John Keresey, relative to over assessments paid to the county for the past five years.

Petition from business men on Washington street above Fourth street, protesting against having the great white way only on Fourth street.

Communication from the American Civic Alliance of New York City, requesting the Mayor to appoint a committee of five or more citizens to consider the interests of the public as consumers of coal throughout the crisis.

Communication from Prosper J. Vion, secretary Taxpayers' Association of Hoboken, relative to placing of wires underground.

Communication from Lawson, MacMurray & Co., for permission to lay a switch over Seventeenth street from the Erie Railroad.

Communication from City Clerk Londrigan, relative to the removal of records from the old vaults in the City Hall.

Communication from the Public Service Electric Company, requesting permits to set poles for street lamps at 221 and 229 Clinton street and 69 and 79 Willow avenue.

Communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, as to the power of the Coun-

oil to revoke the franchise of the Hudson Electric Light Co., to open up and lay conduits in the streets of this city.

Communication from the Universal Audit Co., relative to street lighting.

Communication from Daniel Papay, requesting a lamp be placed at 1618-1620 Willow avenue.

Communication from C. M. Owens & Co., requesting that an arc light be placed at the southeast corner of Tenth and Madison streets.

Communication from the Public Service Corporation, enclosing a statement of lighting Police Headquarters and Second Precinct, of bills presented and unpaid from November, 1908, to May, 1909, for the amount of \$1,765.01, reported correct for \$1,443.79.

Communication from Dominick J. Livelli, complaining of the high charges of gas to consumers by the Public Service Gas Company.

Petition from the First Street Improvement Association, relative to the illumination of First street.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, recommending that the publication of the minutes by the Observer be dispensed with and have the minutes printed on slips only.

Communication from the Sanborn Map Co., relative to their claim of \$15.

Communication from the Clerk of the District Court, requesting the Council to furnish him with filing records.

Communication from the Board of Examining Engineers, requesting permission to have their minutes published in the Observer.

Proposal of the Observer for printing 500 copies of the Financial Statement.

Proposal of Emil P. Schultze for printing 500 copies of the Financial Statement.

Communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, relative to the \$50,000 bonds to rebuild sewers, that part of said moneys are now available to rebuild said sewers.

Communication from the North German Lloyd Steamship Co., complaining of the street crossing on River street in front of Pier 2 as being uneven and dangerous.

Communication from Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors. Drain in Willow avenue between Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Communication from the Hoboken Ribbon Co., at Jefferson and Eleventh streets, complaining of the unsanitary condition of that section of the city.

Communication from the Board of Trade, opposing the expenditure of moneys for sewer investigation until certain sewer outlets are opened up.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, relative to the cleaning of receiving basins.

Petition from property owners on Willow avenue, between Second and Third streets, and Second street, between Willow and Park avenues, relative to waste water and refuse will not discharge into Willow avenue sewer.

Petition from taxpayers and citizens, complaining of the vacant property on Harrison and Jackson streets, between Fifth and Sixth streets, as being a death trap, pest hole and a menace to lives.

Petition from property owners, relative to the sewer on the lower end of First street, that it does not carry away the waste water and refuse.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Steil, relative to the condition of sewers at the foot of Newark street and Third street.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, in relation to Peter Grace, who has refused to perform the work as sluiceway keeper.

Communication from the Citizens' Union of Hoboken, relative to the condition of the streets throughout the city, which are in a deplorable condition.

Communication from the Hudson Consumers' Co., applying for permission to sink a well at Thirteenth and Monroe streets.

Communication from the New York Telephone Co., relative to the removal of their poles and wires from certain streets in the city.

Communication from the Hoboken Land & Improvement Co., requesting the return of their petition for building sewer in Grand street, between Tenth and Twelfth streets.

Communication from the Title Guarantee & Surety Co., of Newark, N. J., requesting the return of their bond of \$10,000, executed for the Hudson Contracting Co., for the removal of ashes and garbage, who had failed to receive said contract.

Communication from His Honor Mayor Gonzales, vetoing the claim of Chas. Hvass & Co., for \$58.50, for nine refuse cans, etc.

Communication from Tietje & Christ, relative to a petition sent to the Council urging the removal of sidewalk obstructions on the south side of First street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets.

Petition from James A. Calandrillo, to remove house from 97 Clinton street to 112 Grand street.

Communication from the Mathews Interlocking Co., requesting permission to set State highway signs.

Communication from Mathews Interlocking Sign Co., requesting permission to place a direction sign at the corner of Washington and Fourteenth street.

Communication from the Board of Trade of North Hudson, requesting the Council to do all in their power to bring about the construction of the viaduct over the railroad crossing at Willow avenue.

Communication from the Rev. N. Donohue, relative to the notice from wagons on Jackson street in front of Parochial School, as to make it almost impossible for the teachers to impart instructions to the pupils.

Communication from the Street Commissioner Griffin, enclosing application with maps from the Public Service Corporation requesting permission to open certain streets for the purpose of building conduits to place overhead wires under ground.

Communication from the American Lear Pencil Company, requesting permission to cross Clinton street, to lay concrete or iron conduit above the sewer line in order to enable them to carry water supply lines to their building on east side of Clinton street.

Communication from Genevieve W. Beavers, commending the fine condition of the parks, and recommending the purchase of a small hand-spraying machine, for use in parks.

Communication from the Board of Police Commissioners enclosing a copy of an ordinance to prohibit to the exposure of public view, and indecent print, or any picture or cut tending to deprave the morals of individuals.

Communication from Rudolph Schroeder, requesting permission to make an examination of the poll and registry books, which was used at the special election, June 27, 1912.

Communication from the Societa Di Mutuo, requesting permission to have a display of fireworks in the city.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for forty-one dollars and fifty cents (\$41.50), in favor of John Lewis, inspector on the improvement of Elysian Park, between Hudson street and Shore Road, as per certificate of Joseph W. Obrietor, engineer, presented December 30, 1912, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Duffy presented the following: hereas, The city has received from the bondsmen of Michael Murphy, former Water Registrar, the sum of \$5,000, which sum has been turned over to the City Treasurer; and

Whereas, There is a deficiency in the appropriation to build a city stable, amounting to the sum of \$2,374.02, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of \$2,374.02 of the said amount of \$5,000 be credited to the fund to build a city stable and the balance, amounting to the sum of \$2,625.98, be and the same is hereby transferred to the Contingent Fund; and be it further

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to make the necessary transfers on his books accordingly.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the building of a bandstand in Church Square Park, in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Contingent Fund to pay the following claims:

J. E. Kenna, keys, locks, etc., furnished City Hall	\$16 10
Henry Bishop, supplies furnished Police Headquarters	17 24
Henry Bishop, one flag for Public Bath	4 50
Lipovitch & Kaplan, glass furnished Second Precinct.....	4 95
James Whalen, repairs at Second Precinct	49 95
Hoboken Electrical Equipment Co., repairs at Second Precinct.....	33 50
James A. Marnell, repairs at Second Precinct	25 00
James A. Marnell, supplies and repairs at Second Precinct.....	100 00
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies at Second Precinct	92 50
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies, City Collector's office	50 00

Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies at Second Precinct	39 50
Spohn & Wittenberg, supplies at Second Precinct	99 50
Henry Bishop, supplies furnished Second Precinct	37 36
Howell Bros., supplies furnished Bath	11 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Public Bath	10 35
J. M. Patterson, supplier furnished Second Precinct	15 05
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	68 40
Dehls & Stein, one bbl. disinfectant for Second Precinct	50 00
Thos. F. Devlin, painting at Public Bath	27 00
Thos. F. Devlin, painting at Public Bath	83 30
William Meyer, repairs at Second Precinct	92 30
William Meyer, new pumps for Public Bath	24 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilman Rath presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of \$600 in favor of William D. Edwards, in accordance with the attached claim presented to the Council,

December 30, 1912, and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries, for services and counsel fee in the case of the City of Hoboken against the bondsmen of Michael H. Murphy, former Water Registrar.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Belloff, Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

Councilmen Anderson, Luehs, Delaney, Rath, Duffy, Pflugh, Larkin, McFeely and LaPointe presented the following:

Whereas, The term of Louis H. Belloff, as Councilman of the Second Ward, is about to expire; and

Whereas, By the retirement of the said Louis H. Belloff the City of Hoboken will lose the services of a faithful public officer, who has performed the many duties devolving upon him with credit to the city and himself, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Common Council, extend to Louis H. Belloff our well wishes for his future prosperity.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Delaney, Duffy, LaPointe, Luehs, McFeely, Pflugh, Rath and Chairman Anderson.

Nays—None.

Declining to vote—Councilman Belloff.

Absent—Councilman Larkin.

On motion of Councilman Duffy the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

GENERAL ELECTION

. . . for . . .

City and Ward Offices

. . . held . . .

NOVEMBER 5th, 1912



OFFICIAL CANVASS

A statement of the result of an election held in the City of Hoboken, in the County of Hudson, on the fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve, for the election of a Water Commissioner, five Excise Commissioners, five Councilmen and ten Tax Commissioners, and on a proposition submitted to the voters of said city.

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

Edward Carroll received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and eighteen.....	118 votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred	100 "
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111 "
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven.....	127 "
Fifth District, First Ward, seventy-two	72 "
Sixth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126 "
Seventh District, First Ward, fifty-nine	59 "
Eighth District, First Ward, one hundred and nine.....	109 "
First District, Second Ward, ninety	90 "
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty-seven.....	147 "
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty.....	140 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, two hundred and eight.....	208 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-five.....	125 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, one hundred and eight.....	108 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-six.....	166 "
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-two.....	152 "
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and five.....	105 "
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and forty-seven.....	147 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, one hundred and fourteen.....	114 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-nine.....	139 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and sixteen.....	116 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine.....	129 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, sixty-seven	67 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, forty-two	42 "
First District, Fourth Ward, sixty-five	65 "
Second District, Fourth Ward,	

eighty-five	85 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifteen.....	115 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven.....	127 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-five	85 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, eighty-one	81 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and six.....	106 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, seventy-one	71 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89 "
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety.....	190 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety-nine.....	199 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and sixteen.....	216 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifty-one.....	151 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty.....	120 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and seven.....	107 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty.....	140 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and seventeen.....	117 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven.....	137 "
Total	5321 "

Frederick Preusse received

First District, First Ward, twenty-five	25 votes
Second District, First Ward, twenty	20 "
Third District, First Ward, twelve	12 "
Fourth District, First Ward, twenty-six	26 "
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-three	33 "
Sixth District, First Ward, twenty-five	25 "
Seventh District, First Ward, twenty-four	24 "
Eighth District, First Ward, fourteen	14 "
First District, Second Ward, twenty-one	21 "
Second District, Second Ward, twenty-two	22 "
Third District, Second Ward, twenty-three	23 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, forty-four	44 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, twenty-two	22 "

Sixth District, Second Ward, thirty	30	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, twenty-eight	28	"
First District, Third Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Second District, Third Ward, twenty-eight	28	"
Third District, Third Ward, eighteen	18	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, six	6	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, twelve	12	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, seventeen	17	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, twelve	12	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eighteen	18	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-eight	28	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-two	22	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, nine	9	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, fifteen	15	"
First District, Fifth Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, thirty-four	34	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, thirty-seven	37	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, eighteen	18	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, twenty-two	22	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, thirty	30	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, sixteen	16	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, thirteen	13	"
Total	943	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONERS.

Thomas F. Devlin received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and seventeen..... 117 votes

Second District, First Ward, eighty-seven	87	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and eleven	111	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twelve	112	"
Fifth District, First Ward, seventy-one	71	"
Sixth District, First Ward, one hundred and six	106	"
Seventh District, First Ward, forty-three	43	"
Eighth District, First Ward, one hundred and five	105	"
First District, Second Ward, seventy-two	72	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and two	102	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and thirty-six	136	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, eighty-five	85	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, seventy-nine	79	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and thirty	130	"
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and fifty-three	153	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and seven	107	"
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-five	135	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, one hundred and nine	109	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine	129	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and eleven	111	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven	127	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, one hundred and ten	110	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, sixty-six	66	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, forty-six	46	"
First District, Fourth Ward, sixty-two	62	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and three	103	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-one	81	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, seventy-nine	79	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, seventy-one	71	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"

Tenth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-five	65	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifty-three.....	153	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and seventy-two.....	172	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-eight.....	188	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eight.....	108	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifteen.....	115	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-five	95	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
Total	4687	"

William J. Reynolds received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and nineteen.....	119	votes
Second District, First Ward, eighty-one	81	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and ten.....	110	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111	"
Fifth District, First Ward, seventy	70	"
Sixth District, First Ward, one hundred and seven.....	107	"
Seventh District, First Ward, forty-five	45	"
Eighth District, First Ward, ninety	90	"
First District, Second Ward, seventy-one	71	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and eight	108	"
Third District, Second Ward, ninety-seven	97	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and nineteen.....	119	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, seventy-two	72	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty.....	120	"
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and forty-two.....	142	"
Second District, Third Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine.....	129	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, one hundred and four.....	104	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-five.....	135	"

Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and eight.....	108	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-four.....	124	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, fifty-nine	59	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, forty-four	44	"
First District, Fourth Ward, sixty	60	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, eighty-six	86	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and four.....	104	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-five	85	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, seventy-seven	77	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, seventy-nine	79	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and two.....	102	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-five	65	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eighty-five	85	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven.....	137	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifty-eight.....	158	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixty-three.....	163	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-one.....	121	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-three	93	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-one	91	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and two.....	102	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-one.....	121	"
Total	4450	"

Andrew Serventi received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and eighteen.....	118	votes
Second District, First Ward, eighty-one	81	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111	"
Fourth District, First Ward, ninety-six	96	"
Fifth District, First Ward, sixty-seven	67	"
Sixth District, First Ward, ninety-five	95	"
Seventh District, First Ward, thir-		

ty-four	34 "
Eighth District, First Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
First District, Second Ward, sixty-seven	67 "
Second District, Second Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
Third District, Second Ward, seventy-five	75 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, ninety-seven	97 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, fifty-seven	57 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, sixty-four	64 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114 "
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-six	126 "
Second District, Third Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and nineteen	119 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-five	125 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and six	106 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine	129 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, one hundred and eight	108 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, seventy-five	75 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, sixty-six	66 "
First District, Fourth Ward, fifty	50 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, ninety	90 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, ninety-seven	97 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred	100 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-five	85 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eighty	80 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, sixty-nine	69 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-seven	67 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-four	64 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eighty-four	84 "
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and four	104 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-four	134 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-two	142 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-eight	98 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, nine-	

ty-seven	97 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-eight	78 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, ninety-three	93 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-nine	79 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ten	110 "
Total	4081 "

Cornelius J. Taken received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and three	103 "
Second District, First Ward, seventy-four	74 "
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and ten	110 "
Fourth District, First Ward, eighty-five	85 "
Fifth District, First Ward, fifty	50 "
Sixth District, First Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Seventh District, First Ward, thirty-six	36 "
Eighth District, First Ward, seventy-eight	78 "
First District, Second Ward, sixty-five	65 "
Second District, Second Ward, ninety-five	95 "
Third District, Second Ward, eighty	80 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, ninety-two	92 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, sixty-five	65 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, sixty-four	64 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven	127 "
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and nineteen	119 "
Second District, Third Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and eight	108 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, ninety	90 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and fifteen	115 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and four	104 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-four	124 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, eighty-one	81 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, fifty-one	51 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, eighty-one	81 "
First District, Fourth Ward, fifty-one	51 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, sixty-seven	67 "

Third District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	83 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-two	62 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-eight	68 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-seven	67 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, sixty-five	65 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-three	63 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-seven	57 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, sixty-one	61 "
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-one.....	121 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixteen.....	116 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-nine	79 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-one	71 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eighty-nine	89 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-five.....	145 "
Total	3799 "

Joseph S. Weinthal received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and sixteen.....	116 votes
Second District, First Ward, eighty	80 "
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and twelve.....	112 "
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and seven.....	107 "
Fifth District, First Ward, seventy	70 "
Sixth District, First Ward, ninety-three	93 "
Seventh District, First Ward, forty	40 "
Eighth District, First Ward, eighty-four	84 "
First District, Second Ward, seventy	70 "
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and four.....	104 "
Third District, Second Ward, ninety	90 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-two.....	122 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, ninety-six	96 "

Sixth District, Second Ward, seventy-four	74 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and eleven.....	111 "
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-four.....	134 "
Second District, Third Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-three.....	123 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, ninety-one	91 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and fifteen.....	115 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, one hundred and one.....	101 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-two.....	122 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, one hundred	100 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, twenty-nine	29 "
First District, Fourth Ward, fifty	50 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, seventy-four	74 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, eighty-seven	87 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-one	81 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, seventy-four	74 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, fifty-eight	58 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, seventy	70 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-six	96 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-nine	59 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, ninety-two	92 "
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-four.....	124 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty.....	140 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-nine.....	149 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and two.....	102 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-two	72 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, one hundred	100 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-two	72 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-two	92 "
Total	4081 "

Leon Hart received

First District, First Ward, fifty-one	51 votes
Second District, First Ward, forty-three	43 "
Third District, First Ward, forty-nine	49 "
Fourth District, First Ward, fifty	50 "
Fifth District, First Ward, forty-one	41 "
Sixth District, First Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Seventh District, First Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Eighth District, First Ward, forty-four	44 "
First District, Second Ward, forty-seven	47 "
Second District, Second Ward, seventy-five	75 "
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and one.....	101 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-nine.....	169 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, ninety-seven	97 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, ninety-five	95 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126 "
First District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57 "
Second District, Third Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Third District, Third Ward, fifty-five	55 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, thirty-six	36 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, seventeen	17 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, twenty	20 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, twenty-eight	28 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, fifty	50 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, forty-seven	47 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, forty-three	43 "
First District, Fourth Ward, thirty-three	33 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, twenty-eight	28 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, twenty-six	26 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-three	53 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-one	41 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-three	33 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-six	36 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, nineteen	19 "

Tenth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-seven	27 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, twenty-six	26 "
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and seven.....	107 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-three.....	123 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eight.....	108 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, ninety	90 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-eight	58 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-eight	58 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, seventy-seven	77 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-one	71 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-one	51 "
Total	2575 "

Lewis C. Keller received

First District, First Ward, forty-five	45 votes
Second District, First Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Third District, First Ward, forty-four	44 "
Fourth District, First Ward, sixty-four	64 "
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-eight	38 "
Sixth District, First Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Seventh District, First Ward, fifty-four	54 "
Eighth District, First Ward, forty-seven	47 "
First District, Second Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Second District, Second Ward, seventy-seven	77 "
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and two.....	102 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-nine.....	169 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, ninety-two	92 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, ninety-seven	97 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and nineteen.....	119 "
First District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57 "
Second District, Third Ward, forty-nine	49 "
Third District, Third Ward, fifty-one	51 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, thirty-four	34 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, twenty-six	26 "

Sixth District, Third Ward, twenty-three	23	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, twenty-nine	29	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, fifty-five	55	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, fifty	50	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, fifty-five	55	"
First District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, thirty-six	36	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-four	54	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-six	46	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, twenty-nine	29	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-one	31	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, twenty	20	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-nine	29	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-five	35	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and twenty-two	122	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-nine	99	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-eight	68	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-four	54	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, seventy-five	75	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-five	65	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Total	2667	"

John M. Rehm received

First District, First Ward, fifty-one	51	"
Second District, First Ward, fifty	50	"
Third District, First Ward, forty-four	44	"
Fourth District, First Ward, sixty-five	65	"
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-nine	39	"
Sixth District, First Ward, sixty-one	61	"
Seventh District, First Ward, forty-eight	48	"

Eighth District, First Ward, forty-two	42	"
First District, Second Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred	100	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-five	125	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and ninety-seven	197	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixteen	116	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and thirty	130	"
First District, Third Ward, sixty-six	66	"
Second District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57	"
Third District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, twenty	20	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, thirty	30	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, fifty-one	51	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, forty-eight	48	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, fifty-four	54	"
First District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-two	52	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-six	46	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-one	31	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-three	23	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-three	133	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-one	131	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and nineteen	119	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and six	106	"

Fifth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-four	74	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-six	56	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, one hundred	100	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-nine	69	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-three	53	"
Total	2883	"

Ralph Rocco received

First District, First Ward, forty-two	42	votes
Second District, First Ward, thirty-seven	37	"
Third District, First Ward, forty-five	45	"
Fourth District, First Ward, forty-six	46	"
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Sxth District, First Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Seventh District, First Ward, forty-two	42	"
Eighth District, First Ward, forty	40	"
First District, Second Ward, thirty-seven	37	"
Second District, Second Ward, sixty-seven	67	"
Third District, Second Ward, eighty-five	85	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty.....	150	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, seventy-two	72	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, ninety-seven	97	"
First District, Third Ward, forty-six	46	"
Second District, Third Ward, forty-three	43	"
Third District, Third Ward, forty-nine	49	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, thirty-six	36	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, twenty-two	22	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, twenty-five	25	"
Seventh District, Thord Ward, thirty-one	31	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, forty-six	46	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, sixty	60	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, eighty-three	83	"
First District, Fourth Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25	"

Third District, Fourth Ward, twenty-six	26	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, forty-two	42	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-two	42	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-four	34	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
Elighth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-two	22	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, eighteen	18	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, twenty eight	28	"
First District, Fifth Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, ninety-two	92	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, eighty	80	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, seventy three	73	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-three	63	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, forty-four	44	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, sixty	60	"
Elighth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-nine	69	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, thirty nine	39	"
Total	2282	"

James Taylor received

First District, First Ward, forty-six	46	votes
Second District, First Ward, forty six	46	"
Third District, First Ward, forty-six	46	"
Fourth District, First Ward, fifty-five	55	"
Fifth District, First Ward, forty-five	45	"
Sixth District, First Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Seventh District, First Ward, fifty two	52	"
Elighth District, First Ward, forty-nine	49	"
First District, Second Ward, fifty	50	"
Second District, Second Ward, eighty six	86	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred	100	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and seventy-three	173	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, eighty eight	88	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, one hundred and three	103	"

Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty	150	"
First District, Third Ward, sixty	60	"
Second District, Third Ward, sixty four	64	"
Third District, Third Ward, sixty- two	62	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, forty five	45	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, twenty-eight	28	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, twenty six	26	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, forty-eight	48	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, forty-five	45	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, thirty-two	32	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty five	45	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, fifty-one	51	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, fifty four	54	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-five	45	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty nine	39	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, twenty-nine	29	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, twenty seven	27	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-three	23	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, nineteen	19	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighteen	118	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty six	146	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and six	106	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, eighty eight	88	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, sixty- six	66	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eighty seven	87	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-three	93	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-nine	99	"
Total	2915	"

Christian Kurz received

First District, First Ward, thir- teen	13	votes
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Second District, First Ward, ten.	10	"
Third District, First Ward, ten...	10	"
Fourth District, First Ward, twenty	20	"
Fifth District, First Ward, seven- teen	17	"
Sixth District, First Ward, thir- teen	13	"
Seventh District, First Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eighth District, First Ward, twelve	12	"
First District, Second Ward, sixteen	16	"
Second District, Second Ward, twelve	12	"
Third District, Second Ward, ten	10	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, twelve	12	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, four	4	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, twelve	12	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
First District, Third Ward, six- teen	16	"
Second District, Third Ward, thir- teen	13	"
Third District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, one..	1	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, five..	5	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, ten	10	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, twenty	20	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
First District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, nine	9	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, six.	6	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, twelve	12	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-two	22	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, six	6	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, nine	9	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, three	3	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, six- teen	16	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, twelve	12	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, ten..	10	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, nine..	9	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eight	8	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, five	5	"

Ninth District, Fifth Ward, four	4	"
Total	463	"

Morris Mellow received

First District, First Ward, sixteen	16	votes
Second District, First Ward, twelve	12	"
Third District, First Ward, ten..	10	"
Fourth District, First Ward, eighteen	18	"
Fifth District, First Ward, eighteen	18	"
Sixth District, First Ward, twelve	12	"
Seventh District, First Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eighth District, First Ward, twelve	12	"
First District, Second Ward, fourteen	14	"
Second District, Second Ward, fifteen	15	"
Third District, Second Ward, twelve	12	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, seven	7	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, eleven	11	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
First District, Third Ward, fourteen	14	"
Second District, Third Ward, eleven	11	"
Third District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, five.	5	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, sixteen	16	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, one	1	"
First District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, six.	6	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, ten	10	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, nineteen	19	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, six	6	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, six	6	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, nine	9	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, three	3	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"

First District, Fifth Ward, thirteen	13	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, ten	10	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, ten	10	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, six	6	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, five..	5	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eight	8	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, five.	5	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, six.	6	"
Total	445	"

Gustav Nicolai received

First District, First Ward, fourteen	14	votes
Second District, First Ward, nine	9	"
Third District, First Ward, ten..	10	"
Fourth District, First Ward, sixteen	16	"
Fifth District, First Ward, seventeen	17	"
Sixth District, First Ward, ten..	10	"
Seventh District, First Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eighth District, First Ward, eleven	11	"
First District, Second Ward, fourteen	14	"
Second District, Second Ward, fifteen	15	"
Third District, Second Ward, ten	10	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, five.	5	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, six	6	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, fourteen	14	"
First District, Third Ward, twelve	12	"
Second District, Third Ward, twelve	12	"
Third District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, one.	1	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, five..	5	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, seventeen	17	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, nine	9	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, one	1	"
First District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, six	6	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, seventeen	17	"

Seventh District, Fourth Ward, six	6 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, six	6 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, ten	10 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, three	3 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eight	8 "
First District, Fifth Ward, fourteen	14 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, nine	9 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, ten	10 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, seven	7 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, eight	8 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, nine	9 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eight	8 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, four	4 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, five	5 "
Total	428

Paul Sparmann received

First District, First Ward, fourteen	14 votes
Second District, First Ward, nine	9 "
Third District, First Ward, ten	10 "
Fourth District, First Ward, eighteen	18 "
Fifth District, First Ward, nineteen	19 "
Sixth District, First Ward, eleven	11 "
Seventh District, First Ward, seventeen	17 "
Eighth District, First Ward, thirteen	13 "
First District, Second Ward, fourteen	14 "
Second District, Second Ward, seventeen	17 "
Third District, Second Ward, thirteen	13 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, thirteen	13 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, seven	7 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, eight	8 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, twelve	12 "
First District, Third Ward, twelve	12 "
Second District, Third Ward, thirteen	13 "
Third District, Third Ward, nine	9 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, eight	8 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, one	1 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, five	5 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, nine	9 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, sixteen	16 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, eight	8 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, one	1 "
First District, Fourth Ward, eight	8 "

Second District, Fourth Ward, seven	7 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, five	5 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighteen	18 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, six	6 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, six	6 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, seven	7 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, ten	10 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, three	3 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eight	8 "
First District, Fifth Ward, thirteen	13 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, ten	10 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, twelve	12 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, eight	8 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, nine	9 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, ten	10 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eight	8 "
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, four	4 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, eight	8 "

Total 448

Herman Weinhold received

First District, First Ward, twelve	12 votes
Second District, First Ward, ten	10 "
Third District, First Ward, ten	10 "
Fourth District, First Ward, nineteen	19 "
Fifth District, First Ward, twenty	20 "
Sixth District, First Ward, ten	10 "
Seventh District, First Ward, eighteen	18 "
Eighth District, First Ward, thirteen	13 "
First District, Second Ward, thirteen	13 "
Second District, Second Ward, seventeen	17 "
Third District, Second Ward, nine	9 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, fifteen	15 "
Fifth District, Second Ward, six	6 "
Sixth District, Second Ward, nine	9 "
Seventh District, Second Ward, twelve	12 "
First District, Third Ward, fourteen	14 "
Second District, Third Ward, thirteen	13 "
Third District, Third Ward, eight	8 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, ten	10 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, two	2 "
Sixth District, Third Ward, five	5 "
Seventh District, Third Ward, ten	10 "
Eighth District, Third Ward, nineteen	19 "
Ninth District, Third Ward, eleven	11 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, one	1 "
First District, Fourth Ward, six	6 "

Second District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, five	5	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, twenty	20	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, six	6	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, twelve	12	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, three	3	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, eleven	11	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, ten	10	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eight	8	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, two	2	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, five	5	"
total	455	

Herman M. Wendt received

First District, First Ward, seventeen	17	votes
Second District, First Ward, thirty	30	"
Third District, First Ward, two	2	"
Fourth District, First Ward, fifty-eight	58	"
Fifth District, First Ward, twenty-one	21	"
Sixth District, First Ward, thirty	30	"
Seventh District, First Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Eighth District, First Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
First District, Second Ward, eighteen	18	"
Second District, Second Ward, fifty-four	54	"
Third District, Second Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and five	105	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, forty-two	42	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, twenty-five	25	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, thirty-six	36	"
First District, Third Ward, forty-eight	48	"
Second District, Third Ward, forty-four	44	"
Third District, Third Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, thirty-six	36	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, twenty-six	26	"

Sixth District, Third Ward, seventeen	17	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, eight	8	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, forty-five	45	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, thirty-two	32	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, seven	7	"
First District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, thirty-four	34	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-four	64	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-three	23	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, fifteen	15	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, eighteen	18	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-two	32	"
First District, Fifth Ward, eighty-seven	87	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred	100	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fourteen	114	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-seven	67	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, forty-five	45	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, forty-six	46	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, forty	40	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, forty-one	41	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Total	1712	"

PROPOSITION AS FOLLOWS:

Shall an act entitled "An Act providing for the reimprovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue, road or highway, in any city which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvements," approved May 15, 1907, be adopted?

Votes received for the adoption:

First District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-seven	147	votes
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Second District, First Ward, seventy-four	74	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
Fourth District, First Ward, sixty	60	"
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-seven	37	"
Sixth District, First Ward, one hundred	100	"
Seventh District, First Ward, forty	40	"
Eighth District, First Ward, twenty-two	22	"
First District, Second Ward, seventy-seven	77	"
Second District, Second Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Third District, Second Ward, seventy-nine	79	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and eighteen.....	118	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, seventy-six	76	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, seventy-one	71	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, one hundred and fourteen.....	114	"
First District, Third Ward, eighty-seven	87	"
Second District, Third Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-three	93	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, ninety-three	93	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, one hundred and fifteen.....	115	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, ninety-two	92	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, seventy-four	74	"
Ninth District, Third Ward, forty-one	41	"
Tenth District, Third Ward, forty	40	"
First District, Fourth Ward, thirty-five	35	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, sixty-six	66	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seventy-eight	78	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, sixty-one	61	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-two	52	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, fifty-two	52	"
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, fifty-four	54	"
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, seventy-two	72	"
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39	"
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, sixty-five	65	"

First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifteen	115	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, ninety-five	95	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fourteen.....	114	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-five	95	"
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-five	65	"
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Eighth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-four	74	"
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, ninety-six	96	"
Total	3486	

Against the adoption

First District, First Ward, twenty-seven	27	votes
Second District, Fifth Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, thirty	30	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, seventy-seven	77	"
Fifth District, First Ward, thirty-five	35	"
Sixth District, First Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Seventh District, First Ward, twenty-four	24	"
Eighth District, First Ward, thirty-eight	28	"
First District, Second Ward, thirty-three	33	"
Second District, Second Ward, seventy	70	"
Third District, Second Ward, eighty-three	83	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-five.....	125	"
Fifth District, Second Ward, sixty	60	"
Sixth District, Second Ward, fifty-four	54	"
Seventh District, Second Ward, sixty-eight	68	"
First District, Third Ward, sixty	60	"
Second District, Third Ward, twenty-seven	27	"
Third District, Third Ward, fifty-seven	57	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, twenty-nine	29	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, seventeen	17	"
Sixth District, Third Ward, sixteen	16	"
Seventh District, Third Ward, thirty-eight	38	"
Eighth District, Third Ward, fifty-one	51	"

Ninth District, Third Ward, forty-three	43 "
Tenth District, Third Ward, twenty-eight	28 "
First District, Fourth Ward, twenty-five	25 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, twenty-three	23 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, forty-eight	48 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, forty-two	42 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, forty-nine	49 "
Seventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-one	31 "
Eighth District, Fourth Ward, twenty-eight	28 "
Ninth District, Fourth Ward, twenty	20 "
Tenth District, Fourth Ward, thirty-nine	39 "
Eleventh District, Fourth Ward, thirty-five	35 "
First District, Fifth Ward, eighty-six	86 "
Second District, Fifth ward, ninety-three	93 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred	100 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, sixty-five	65 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, fifty-eight	58 "
Sixth District, Fifth Ward, sixty	60 "
Seventh District, Fifth Ward, sixty-one	61 "
Eighth District, Fifth Dard, fifty-six	56 "
Ninth District, Fifth Ward, thirty-eight	38 "
Total	2137

**FIRST WARD,
FOR COUNCILMAN.**

Patrick H. Duffy received

First District, one hundred and eleven	111 votes
Second District, sixty-seven	67 "
Third District, ninety-two	92 "
Fourth District, ninety-two	92 "
Fifth District, fifty-one	51 "
Sixth District, ninety-four	94 "
Seventh District, thirty-nine	39 "
Eighth District, eighty-four	84 "
Total	630

Robert J. Moore received

Frst District, sixty	60 votes
Second District, fifty-six	56 "

Third District, fifty-nine	59 "
Fourth District, seventy-eight	78 "
Fifth District, fifty-eight	58 "
Sixth District, sixty-four	64 "
Seventh District, sixty-five	65 "
Eighth District, sixty-five	65 "

Total 505 "

Henry F. Schreck received

First District, four	4 votes
Second District, eleven	11 "
Third District, nine	9 "
Fourth District, seventeen	17 "
Fifth District, sixteen	16 "
Sixth District, nine	9 "
Seventh District, fifteen	15 "
Eighth District, nine	9 "
Total	90 "

Henry H. Stutz received

First District, seventeen	17 votes
Second District, eleven	11 "
Third District, eleven	11 "
Fourth District, thirteen	13 "
Fifth District, six	6 "
Sixth District, eight	8 "
Seventh District, one	1 "
Eighth District, seven	7 "
Total	74 "

**SECOND WARD,
FOR COUNCILMAN.**

Louis H. Belloff received

First District, sixty-four	64 votes
Second District, ninety-five	95 "
Third District, eighty-four	84 "
Fourth District, one hundred and eight	108 "
Fifth District, eighty-two	82 "
Sixth District, seventy-five	75 "
Seventh District, eighty	80 "
Total	588 "

George Cornils received

First District, thirteen	13 votes
Second District, fifteen	15 "
Third District, ten	10 "
Fourth District, twelve	12 "
Fifth District, eight	8 "
Sixth District, six	6 "
Seventh District, thirteen	13 "
Total	77 "

Harry L. Schmullig received

First District, sixty-one	61 votes
Second District, one hundred and ten	110 "

Third District, one hundred and thirty-six	136 "
Fourth District, two hundred and five	205 "
Fifth District, one hundred and three	103 "
Sixth District, one hundred and six	106 "
Seventh District, one hundred and eighty-one	181 "
Total	902 "

THIRD WARD.**FOR COUNCILMAN.**

Harry F. Acker received

First District, eighty-one.....	81 votes
Second District, fifty-seven....	57 "
Third District, fifty-six.....	56 "
Fourth District, thirty-eight....	38 "
Fifth District, twenty-one.....	21 "
Sixth District, twenty-four.....	24 "
Seventh District, twenty-three...	23 "
Eighth District, fifty.....	50 "
Ninth District, forty.....	40 "
Tenth District, forty-eight.....	48 "
Total	438 "

James G. Larkin received

First District, one hundred and thirty	130 votes
Second District, ninety-seven....	97 "
Third District, one hundred and twenty-nine	129 "
Fourth District, one hundred and two	102 "
Fifth District, one hundred and thirty-five	135 "
Sixth District, one hundred and four	104 "
Seventh District, one hundred and thirty	130 "
Eighth District, one hundred and seven	107 "
Ninth District, fifty-six.....	56 "
Tenth District, thirty-nine.....	39 "
Total	1029 "

John Mangiante received

First District, fourteen.....	14 votes
Second District, eleven.....	11 "
Third District, twelve.....	12 "
Fourth District, twelve.....	12 "
Fifth District, four.....	4 "
Sixth District, ten.....	10 "
Seventh District, twenty-four....	24 "
Eighth District, twenty-nine.....	29 "
Ninth District, thirty-two.....	32 "
Tenth District, twenty-three.....	23 "
Total	171 "

FOURTH WARD.**FOR COUNCILMAN.**

Oscar Hoehne received

First District, twenty-six.....	26 votes
Second District, twenty-three....	23 "
Third District, nineteen.....	19 "
Fourth District, twenty.....	20 "
Fifth District, twenty-seven.....	27 "
Sixth District, twenty-nine.....	29 "
Seventh District, fifteen	15 "
Eighth District, fourteen	14 "
Ninth District, eight	8 "
Tenth District, twenty five	25 "
Eleventh District, nineteen	19 "
Total	225 "

Thomas J. Foley received

First District, ten	10 votes
Second District, forty-two	42 "
Third District, fourteen	14 "
Fourth District, sixty-five	65 "
Fifth District, thirty-four	34 "
Sixth District, twenty seven	27 "
Seventh District, twenty-five....	25 "
Eighth District, sixteen	16 "
Ninth District, twenty-five	25 "
Tenth District, fifteen	15 "
Eleventh District, twenty-one....	21 "
Total	294 "

Bernard N. McFeely received

First District, sixty seven	67 votes
Second District, seventy	70 "
Third District, one hundred and eight	108 "
Fourth District, eighty-seven	87 "
Fifth District, seventy-six	76 "
Sixth District, eight-six	86 "
Seventh District, seventy six	76 "
Eighth District, eighty-nine	89 "
Ninth District, one hundred	100 "
Tenth District, sixty-five	65 "
Eleventh District, ninety	90 "
Total	914

Willy Philipp received

First District, seven.....	7 votes
Second District, eight.....	8 "
Third District, three.....	3 "
Fourth District, six.....	6 "
Fifth District, fifteen.....	15 "
Sixth District, seven.....	7 "
Seventh District, three.....	3 "
Eighth District, seven.....	7 "
Ninth District, eight.....	8 "
Tenth District, two.....	2 "
Eleventh District, six.....	6 "
Total	72 "

FIFTH WARD. FOR COUNCILMAN.

Dennis F. Burns received

First District, ninety-three	93 votes
Second District, sixty-six	66 "
Third District, eighty-two	82 "
Fourth District, fifty-seven	57 "
Fifth District, ninety-three	93 "
Sixth District, fifty-one	51 "
Seventh District, seventy-four	74 "
Eighth District, fifty-two	52 "
Ninth District, fifty-eight	58 "

Total 626 "

George LaPointe received

First District, seventy-nine.....	79 votes
Second District, one hundred and forty-three	143 "
Third District, one hundred and forty	140 "
Fourth District, seventy-five.....	75 "
Fifth District, forty-seven.....	47 "
Sixth District, seventy-one.....	71 "
Seventh District, seventy-three..	73 "
Eighth District, sixty-one.....	61 "
Ninth District, eighty-nine.....	89 "

Total 778 "

Charles Marshall received

First District, thirteen votes....	13 votes
Second District, three.....	3 "
Third District, six.....	6 "
Fourth District, none.....	0 "
Fifth District, eight.....	8 "
Sixth District, eight.....	8 "
Seventh District, two.....	2 "
Eighth District, three.....	3 "
Ninth District, five.....	5 "

Total 48 "

Louis A. W. Steuben received

First District, one hundred and ten	110 votes
Second District, one hundred and twelve	112 "
Third District, ninety-four.....	94 "
Fourth District, one hundred and seven	107 "
Fifth District, fifty-five.....	55 "
Sixth District, forty-eight.....	48 "
Seventh District, sixty-three....	63 "
Eighth District, sixty-two.....	62 "
Ninth District, forty-six.....	46 "

Total 697 "

FIRST WARD.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Erxmeyer received

First District, thirty-two.....	32 votes
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Second District, forty-two.....	42 "
Third District, fifty-two.....	52 "
Fourth District, forty-nine.....	49 "
Fifth District, thirty-four.....	34 "
Sixth District, twenty-seven.....	27 "
Seventh District, thirty-four....	34 "
Eighth District, thirty-six.....	36 "

Total 306 "

Richard Grube received

First District, one hundred and seventeen	117 votes
Second District, seventy-nine....	79 "
Third District, one hundred and eight	108 "
Fourth District, one hundred and fourteen	114 "
Fifth District, fifty-nine.....	59 "
Sixth District, one hundred and seventeen	117 "
Seventh District, fifty-one.....	51 "
Eighth District, ninety-six.....	96 "

Total 741 "

Paul Klinger received

First District, eighteen.....	18 votes
Second District, fourteen.....	14 "
Third District, ten.....	10 "
Fourth District, twenty.....	20 "
Fifth District, twenty-three.....	23 "
Sixth District, fourteen.....	14 "
Seventh District, seventeen.....	17 "
Eighth District, twelve.....	12 "

Total 128 "

SECOND WARD.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Gustav Fiebelkorn received

First District, sixteen.....	16 votes
Second District, twenty.....	20 "
Third District, thirteen.....	13 "
Fourth District, fifteen.....	15 "
Fifth District, four.....	4 "
Sixth District, eleven.....	11 "
Seventh District, twenty.....	20 "

Total 99 "

Robert S. Pallehner received

First District, thirty-four.....	34 votes
Second District, fifty.....	50 "
Third District, seventy-eight....	78 "
Fourth District, one hundred and forty-two	142 "
Fifth District, sixty-three.....	63 "
Sixth District, seventy.....	70 "
Seventh District, one hundred and nine	109 "

Total 546 "

Jacob Weigel received

First District, eighty-three.....	83 votes
Second District, one hundred and twenty-five	125 "
Third District, one hundred and three	103 "
Fourth District, one hundred and thirty-nine	139 "
Fifth District, one hundred and eleven	111 "
Sixth District, eighty-one.....	81 "
Seventh District, one hundred and five	105 "
Total	747 "

THIRD WARD.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Ernst Fischer received

First District, forty-nine.....	49 votes
Second District, forty-five.....	45 "
Third District, twenty-six.....	26 "
Fourth District, twenty-three....	23 "
Fifth District, eleven.....	11 "
Sixth District, nine	9 "
Seventh District, thirty.....	30 "
Eighth District, sixty-three.....	63 "
Ninth District, thirty-eight.....	38 "
Tenth District, twelve.....	12 "
Total	306 "

Frank Scutellaro received

First District, twenty-eight.....	28 votes
Second District, twenty-six.....	26 "
Third District, thirty-nine.....	39 "
Fourth District, twenty.....	20 "
Fifth District, seventeen.....	17 "
Sixth District, fourteen.....	14 "
Seventh District, twenty-one.....	21 "
Eighth District, thirty-nine.....	39 "
Ninth District, thirty-one.....	31 "
Tenth District, sixty-one.....	61 "
Total	296 "

Dominick Veruaglia received

First District, one hundred and thirteen	113 votes
Second District, seventy-four.....	74 "
Third District, one hundred and seventeen	117 "
Fourth District, eighty-six.....	86 "
Fifth District, one hundred and fourteen	114 "
Sixth District, one hundred and four	104 "
Seventh District, one hundred.....	100 "
Eighth District, sixty-nine.....	69 "
Ninth District, fifty-two.....	52 "
Tenth District, twenty-two.....	22 "
Total	851 "

FOURTH WARD.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

John A. Cross received

First District, sixty-two.....	62 votes
Second District, sixty-three.....	63 "
Third District, eighty-one.....	81 "
Fourth District, one hundred and two	102 "
Fifth District, seventy-eight.....	78 "
Sixth District, eighty-five.....	85 "
Seventh District, eighty-four.....	84 "
Eighth District, eighty-four.....	84 "
Ninth District, ninety-two.....	92 "
Tenth District, fifty-eight.....	58 "
Eleventh District, ninety-three....	93 "
Total	882 "

John J. Gaynor received

First District, twenty-nine.....	29 votes
Second District, forty-seven.....	47 "
Third District, thirty-nine.....	39 "
Fourth District, forty-seven.....	47 "
Fifth District, twenty-five.....	25 "
Sixth District, thirty-seven.....	37 "
Seventh District, twenty-three....	23 "
Eighth District, sixteen.....	16 "
Ninth District, twenty-three.....	23 "
Tenth District, twenty-two.....	22 "
Eleventh District, twenty.....	20 "
Total	328 "

William Reumschussel received

First District, five.....	5 votes
Second District, ten.....	10 "
Third District, five.....	5 "
Fourth District, eight.....	8 "
Fifth District, twenty-one.....	21 "
Sixth District, seven.....	7 "
Seventh District, six.....	6 "
Eighth District, ten.....	10 "
Ninth District, ten.....	10 "
Tenth District, four.....	4 "
Eleventh District, nine.....	9 "
Total	95 "

FIFTH WARD.

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

James Connell received

First District, one hundred and fifty	150 votes
Second District, one hundred and seventy-two	172 "
Third District, one hundred and eighty-three	183 "
Fourth District, one hundred and even	111 "

Fifth District, one hundred and twenty-one	121	"
Sixth District, one hundred and three	103	"
Seventh District, one hundred and sixteen	116	"
Eighth District, eighty-two.....	82	"
Ninth District, one hundred and eighteen	118	"
Total	1156	"

Gustav Jeck received

First District, thirteen.....	13	votes
Second District, twenty.....	20	"
Third District, nineteen.....	19	"
Fourth District, seven.....	7	"
Fifth District, ten.....	10	"
Sixth District, eleven.....	11	"
Seventh District, eleven.....	11	"
Eighth District, five.....	5	"
Ninth District, nine.....	9	"
Total	105	"

Albert Kloeblen, Jr., received

First District, eighty-six.....	86	votes
Second District, eighty.....	80	"
Third District, eighty-seven.....	87	"
Fourth District, eighty-four.....	84	"
Fifth District, forty.....	40	"
Sixth District, forty.....	40	"
Seventh District, sixty-eight.....	68	"
Eighth District, seventy-one.....	71	"
Ninth District, forty.....	40	"
Total	596	"

RECAPITULATION.

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

Edward Carroll received

First Ward, eight hundred and twenty-two	822	votes
Second Ward, nine hundred and eighty-four	984	"
Third Ward, one thousand one hundred and thirty-seven.....	1137	"
Fourth Ward, one thousand and one	1001	"
Fifth Ward, one thousand three hundred and seventy-seven....	1377	"
Total	5321	"

Frederick Preusse received

First Ward, one hundred and seventy-nine	179	votes
Second Ward, one hundred and ninety	190	"
Third Ward, one hundred and eighty-eight	188	"
Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifty-nine	159	"

Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-seven	227	"
Total	943	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONERS.

Thomas F. Devlin received

First Ward, seven hundred and fifty-two	752	votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and twenty-seven	727	"
Third Ward, one thousand and ninety-three	1093	"
Fourth Ward, nine hundred and thirty-four	934	"
Fifth Ward, one thousand one hundred and eighty-one.....	1181	"
Total	4687	"

William J. Reynolds received

First Ward, seven hundred and thirty-three	733	votes
Second Ward, six hundred and seventy-five	675	"
Third Ward, one thousand and forty-four	1044	"
Fourth Ward, nine hundred and twenty-four	924	"
Fifth Ward, one thousand and seventy-four	1074	"
Total	4450	"

Andrew Serventi received

First Ward, six hundred and ninety	690	votes
Second Ward, five hundred and sixty-two	562	"
Third Ward, one thousand and twenty	1020	"
Fourth Ward, eight hundred and seventy-four	874	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and thirty-five	935	"
Total	4081	"

Cornelius J. Taken received

First Ward, six hundred and twenty	620	votes
Second Ward, five hundred and eighty-eight	588	"
Third Ward, nine hundred and fifty-five	955	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and thirty-eight	738	"
Fifth Ward, eight hundred and ninety-eight	898	"
Total	3799	"

Joseph S. Weinthal received

First Ward, seven hundred and two	702 votes
Second Ward, six hundred and sixty-seven	667 "
Third Ward, nine hundred and fifty-four	954 "
Fourth Ward, eight hundred and twenty-three	823 "
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and thirty-five	935 "
Total	4081 "

Leon O. Hart received

First Ward, three hundred and seventy-four	374 votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and ten	710 "
Third Ward, four hundred and one	401 "
Fourth Ward, three hundred and forty-seven	347 "
Fifth Ward, seven hundred and forty-three	743 "
Total	2575 "

Lewis C. Keller received

First Ward, three hundred and eighty-eight	388 votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and four	704 "
Third Ward, four hundred and twenty-nine	429 "
Fourth Ward, three hundred and eighty-eight	388 "
Fifth Ward, seven hundred and fifty-eight	758 "
Total	2667 "

John M. Rehm received

First Ward, four hundred	400 votes
Second Ward, eight hundred and twenty-nine	829 "
Third Ward, four hundred and forty	440 "
Fourth Ward, three hundred and seventy-three	373 "
Fifth Ward, eight hundred and forty-one	841 "
Total	2883 "

Ralph Rocco received

First Ward, three hundred and twenty-eight	328 votes
Second Ward, five hundred and ninety-one	591 "
Third Ward, four hundred and forty-one	441 "
Fourth Ward, three hundred and fourteen	314 "

Fifth Ward, six hundred and eight	608 "
Total	2282 "

James Taylor received

First Ward, three hundred and eighty-six	386 votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and fifty	750 "
Third Ward, four hundred and forty-three	443 "
Fourth Ward, three hundred and ninety-six	396 "
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and forty	940 "
Total	2915 "

Christian Kurz received

First Ward, one hundred and thirteen	113 votes
Second Ward, seventy-nine	79 "
Third Ward, ninety-two	92 "
Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98 "
Fifth Ward, eighty-one	81 "
Total	463 "

Morris Mellow received

First Ward, one hundred and sixteen	116 votes
Second Ward, eighty-six	86 "
Third Ward, eighty-three	83 "
Fourth Ward, eighty-eight	88 "
Fifth Ward, seventy-two	72 "
Total	445 "

Gustav Nicolai received

First Ward, one hundred and five	105 votes
Second Ward, seventy-eight	78 "
Third Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Fourth Ward, eighty-seven	87 "
Fifth Ward, seventy-four	74 "
Total	428 "

Paul Sparmann received

First Ward, one hundred and eleven	111 votes
Second Ward, eighty-four	84 "
Third Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89 "
Fifth Ward, eighty-two	82 "
Total	448 "

Herman Weinhold received

First Ward, one hundred and twelve	112 votes
Second Ward, eighty-one	81 "

Third Ward, ninety-three.....	93	"
Fourth Ward, ninety-eight.....	98	"
Fifth Ward, seventy-one.....	71	"

Total 455 "

Herman M. Wendt received

First Ward, two hundred and nine	209	votes
Second Ward, three hundred and eighteen	318	"
Third Ward, three hundred and one	301	"
Fourth Ward, three hundred and twenty	320	"
Fifth Ward, five hundred and sixty-four	564	"
Total	1712	"

For the adoption of the following:

Shall an act entitled "An Act providing for the reimpovement of any street, avenue, road or highway, or the portion of such street, avenue or highway, in any city which has been heretofore improved and for which improvement assessments for benefits have been heretofore levied and imposed, and for the issue of bonds to pay for said improvement," approved May 15, 1907, be adopted?

For, three thousand four hundred and eighty-six	3486	votes
Against, two thousand one hundred and thirty-seven	2137	"

FIRST WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Patrick H. Duffy received six hundred and thirty.....	630	votes
Robert J. Moore received five hundred and five.....	505	"
Henry F. Schreck received ninety	90	"
Herman H. Stutz received seventy-four	74	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Erxmeyer received three hundred and six.....	306	votes
Richard Grube received seven hundred and forty-one.....	741	"
Paul Klinger received one hundred and twenty-eight.....	128	"

SECOND WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Louis H. Belloff received five hundred and eighty-eight.....	588	votes
George Cornils received seventy-seven	77	"
Harry L. Schmulling received nine hundred and two.....	902	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Gustav Fiebelkorn received ninety-nine	99	votes
Robert S. Pallehner received five hundred and forty-six.....	546	"
Jacob Weibel received seven hundred and forty-seven.....	747	"

THIRD WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Harry F. Acker received four hundred and thirty-eight.....	438	votes
James G. Larkin received one thousand and twenty-nine.....	1029	"
John Mangiante received one hundred and seventy-one.....	171	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Ernst Fischer received three hundred and six.....	306	votes
Frank Scutellaro received two hundred and ninety-six.....	296	"
Dominick Vernaglia received eight hundred and fifty-one.....	851	"

FOURTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Oscar Hoehne received two hundred and twenty-five.....	225	votes
Thomas J. Foley received two hundred and ninety-four.....	294	"
Bernard M. McFeely received nine hundred and fourteen.....	914	"
Willy Philipp received seventy-two	72	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

John A. Cross received eight hundred and eighty-two.....	882	"
John J. Gaynor received three hundred and twenty-eight.....	328	"
William Reumschussel received ninety-five	95	"

FIFTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Dennis F. Burns received six hundred and twenty-six.....	626	votes
George LaPointe received seven hundred and seventy-eight.....	778	"
Charles Marshall received forty-eight	48	"
Louis A. W. Steuben received six hundred and ninety-seven.....	697	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

James Connell received one thousand one hundred and fifty-six.	1156	votes
Gustav Jeck received one hundred and five	105	"
Albert Kloeblen, Jr., received five hundred and ninety-six.....	596	"

A statement of the determination of the Board of County Canvassers, relative to an election held in the City of Hoboken, on the fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve, for the election of a Water Commissioner, five Excise Commissioners, five Councilmen, ten Tax Commissioners, and as to the proposition submitted to the voters for its Adoption or Rejection by the voters of said city. The said Board do determine that at the said election the following were duly elected: For Water Commissioner, Edward Carroll; for Excise Commissioners, Thomas F. Devlin, William J. Reynolds, Andrew Serventi, Joseph S. Weinthal and Cornelius J. Tahen; for Councilmen, Patrick H. Duffy in the First Ward, Harry L. Schmulling in the Second Ward, James G. Larkin in the Third Ward, Bernard N. McFeely in the Fourth Ward, and George LaPointe in the Fifth Ward; for Tax Commissioners, Richard Grube and Frederick Erxmeyer in the First Ward, Jacob Weigel and Robert S. Pallehner in the Second Ward, Dominick Vernaglia and Ernst Fischer in the Third Ward, John A. Cross and John J. Gaynor in the Fourth Ward, and James Connell and Albert Kloeblen, Jr., in the Fifth Ward.

As to the proposition submitted to the voters for its Adoption or Rejection, a majority of the votes were cast in favor thereof.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the determination of the Board of Canvassers therein mentioned.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my

hand this thirteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

GEORGE LIMOUZE,

Chairman of the Board of Canvassers.

EDWIN W. GRITTEN, Clerk.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the result of the election above mentioned, as the same is exhibited by the statements produced and laid before the Board of County Canvassers, according to law, and that the same exhibits the number of the names of the voters in the poll books of the Wards and Election Districts, respectively, and of the ballots rejected, the whole number of the names of the voters in the poll books of the several Wards and Election Districts, the name of each person for whom any vote or votes were given, the number of votes given for each person in each Ward and Election District, and the whole number of votes given for each person for each office designated for him, as they appear by the statements so produced and laid before the said Board.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this thirteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

GEORGE LIMOUZE,

HARRY F. THOMPSON,

GEO. W. DECKER,

Board of County Canvassers.

Attest: EDWIN W. GRITTEN, Clerk.

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